

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains high of the Pacific slope, and fine weather continues over this province. Zero temperatures have been general in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

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NAVAL CONFERENCE IS FIXED FOR JANUARY 21

GT. BRITAIN SHARING IN PEACE WORK

Takes Hand in Movement in Progress to Settle Dispute Between Soviet Government and China

KELOGG-BRIAND PACT IS URGED

Japan Refuses to Give Her Support to Action Taken by Great Britain and United States

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Great Britain and the United States have made representations to Russia and China calling attention to their obligations as signatories of the Kellogg-Briand pact in settling their dispute in Manchuria.

The British Government tonight issued the text of a memorandum to China and Russia saying that Great Britain joined the United States in the effort to bring about peaceable settlement of the Manchurian conflict.

Foreign Secretary Henderson announced in the House of Commons that the Government had agreed to the joint representations at the instance of the American Government.

"As to the existence of a state of war, I can only state that, as far as I know, neither the Chinese nor the Soviet Government have informed any other Government that they considered themselves at war," Mr. Henderson said.

"To the best of my belief, the Chinese Government has taken no definite step to bring the dispute before the League of Nations. But on November 28 the Chinese Minister informed me that his Government contemplated such an appeal and asked for my view."

"I pointed out that there was a difficulty because the Soviet Union was not a member of the League of Nations, and I informed him of the action of the United States Government."

Mr. Henderson's statement was called forth by questions from members.

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Driverless Car Runs Away With Fatal Results

TACOMA, Dec. 2.—A locked, driverless sedan careening down the Ninth Street hill brought death to one woman shortly after noon today, and but for the presence of a parked truck blocking its path would have raced on across Broadway to the entrance of a theatre, where a large crowd was waiting to gain admission.

The woman who was fatally injured when crushed beneath the car was Mrs. Alice Baettge, fifty, a widow. She died on an operating table.

From the Colonist Tower

Tuesday, Dec. 3

THE WEATHER
Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, generally fair and not much change in temperature, with local fog.

Sun Rises: 7:47 a.m.
Sun Sets: 4:30 p.m.
High Tide: 1:19 p.m., 9.3 feet.
Low Tide: 10:43 p.m., 1.2 feet.

Sports
Seattle Eskimos and Vancouver Lions battle to draw in overtime. Fred Morrison leads field in P.J.A. qualifying round with brilliant score. Hagen just scrapes in, taking thirty-two.

Reg Wenman to captain Victoria rep. rugby team, picked last Saturday.

The News
Local and Provincial—Minister of Agriculture will make provision for British boys on arrival in Spring.

Advisory board of Farmers' Institutes suggests increase in gasoline tax.

City Council will ask C.N.R. to make Victoria the home port for its fleet.

Two transportation firms seeking bus franchise for Esquimalt.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—Tragic tales of wrecks and suffering in great storm on coast of Newfoundland.

Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald announces naval conference is fixed for January 21.

Great Britain plays a hand in endeavoring to settle Russian and Chinese dispute.

Two members of McAlpine party have reached Cranberry Portage near the Pass.

To Recall Sacrifice Of Canadians



Striking Canadian war memorial to be erected in newly decorated square at Ottawa. The cross in the hands of the seven March brothers, noted English sculptors—Copyright, 1929, Pacific & Atlantic Photo, Inc.

TRAGIC TALES OF WRECKS IN GREAT STORMS

Wild Seas and Blinding Blizzards Play Havoc With Shipping on Bleak Coast of Newfoundland

MANY BRAVE DEEDS OF HEROIC SEAMEN

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Dec. 2.—A wild sea and a blinding blizzard held tonight the fate of two score Newfoundland fishermen and sailors, and the crews of three disabled Norwegian freighters.

The storm threatened also the lives of rescuers in pilot boats, tugs and steamers.

The captain and four-man crew of the George Kay, rescued by the steamer Holfpeln, told of the odds they fought against, which were probably typical of the experience of a dozen other schooners. Bound for Grens Pond for St. John's with a cargo of provisions and fuel, the George Kay ran into a southeast gale with snow. Later the wind shifted to the northwest, carrying away the mainmast and the main boom.

The sea swept the decks clean of kegs of gasoline and kerosene, left it covered with ice, and then tore off the rudder.

BATTLED MOUNTAINOUS SEA
The Holfpeln saw distress signals from the stricken schooner, bore in to her, and rescued her crew.

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PREPARES TO GREET BOYS NEXT MARCH

Minister of Agriculture Will Make Provision for British Boys on Arrival in Spring

QUARTERS WILL BE PROVIDED

Hon. W. Atkinson, Minister of Agriculture, is now preparing for the coming of the first body of boys under the British farm boys' scheme into which the province has entered in co-operation with the British Government.

A detachment of these boys, who come to enter upon the learning of farming in British Columbia, is expected to reach the province about March.

The first duty which the minister will have in this connection is the finding of a temporary place for the boys to stay while farm positions are being found for them.

It is anticipated that a fair number of places will be waiting for the boys who, with as little delay as possible, will be sent forward to their positions.

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Mayor Anscomb To Hold Public Meeting Tonight

MAYOR Herbert Anscomb will give an account of his stewardship as chief magistrate of Victoria, at a public meeting which he has called for tonight, at 8 o'clock, in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

His Worship has invited all candidates running for seats on the City Council, School Board and Police Commission to attend the meeting and address the electors. This will probably be the biggest meeting of the election campaign, and a large attendance of ratepayers is anticipated.

GRAVE CHARGE LAID AGAINST MR. C. OLIVER

Indicted at Preliminary Hearing for Forcible Seizure of Well-Known Pension Doctor

DEFENCE WILL BE PRODUCED TODAY

PENTICTON, B.C., Dec. 2.—Dr. V. Latimer, testifying this afternoon in the preliminary hearing of Mr. Charles Oliver, charged with "forcible seizure," stated that Oliver was sitting at the wheel of the sedan automobile into which Latimer was dragged last Monday night, and taken away to be subjected to an application of a "sticky fluid" and feathers.

The sixty-five-year-old physician also testified that Oliver threatened his life last August, and had given him seven days in which to leave town. Mr. Charles Oliver is a son of the late Hon. John Oliver, former Premier of British Columbia.

Latimer is well known in his profession in Western Canada.

The prosecution concluded its case this afternoon, and tomorrow the defence will present its witnesses. It is not definite whether or not Oliver will take the stand.

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V.C. Heroes Are Greeted Upon Return

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Dec. 2.—Saint John and New Brunswick gave a rousing welcome yesterday to one of the most notable groups ever to reach here from overseas, when fifteen war veterans, all winners of the Victoria Cross, again set foot on Canadian soil on their way back from London, where they attended the Prince of Wales' Banquet on November 9.

When they came ashore from the steamer Duchess of Athol the heroes were greeted by representatives of the province, the city, Military District No. 6, the Provincial Command, Canadian Legion, the 26th Battalion Overseas Club; the Byng Boys; the Garrison Sergeants' Mess; the Red Cross and by a large number of citizens of Saint John. The Victoria Cross heroes left for their homes yesterday afternoon.

The party included: Captain H. C. Beel, Saskatchewan; Private A. Breton, Elmore, Alta.; Private J. C. Ker, Spring River, Alta.; Major G. H. Mullin, Mooseomin, Sask.; Private M. J. O'Rourke, Vancouver; Sergeant Ricketts, St. John's, Nfld.; and Sergeant R. L. Sengal, Rock Mountain, Alta.

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Two Transportation Firms Seek Bus Franchise for Township of Esquimalt

"MOTOR transportation is a thing that is coming, and coming fast," stated Reeve James Elrick, following the reading of two letters, one from the Vancouver Island Coach Lines and the other from the Royal Blue Lines Motor Tours, regarding the acquiring of a bus franchise in the Municipality of Esquimalt, at a meeting of the Esquimalt Council last night.

"It will take several meetings to decide this matter, and the British Columbia Electric Company will have to be considered, as they may tear up their lines and put buses in their place. There is nothing to prevent buses from running throughout this district and along Esquimalt Road if this council grants them permission," continued the Reeve.

CONFERENCE SUGGESTED
Councillor Alexander Lockley stated that the subject being dealt with was very important from many standpoints, and that a committee should be appointed to look into every minute detail pertaining to grants of such a franchise in the district.

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PREMIER IS QUIET ABOUT NEW CABINET

Meeting of Ministers Is Held, but Mr. King Is Noncommittal Concerning Expected Changes

TALK TELLS WHAT PEOPLE THINKING

Hon. T. A. Crerar Believed to Be Prospect for Portfolios to Give Representation to West

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—Today's meeting of the Cabinet failed to shed any light on the subject of ministerial appointments. Premier Mackenzie King and his ministers conferred at length, but the only announcement at the conclusion of the meeting was that matters connected with the coming session of Parliament had been taken up. He did not think there was any immediate hurry about filling the Cabinet vacancy in the Department of Railways and Canals.

Many names are mentioned for the Department of Railways. Ministers suggested for the post are: Hon. W. D. Elmer, now administering the Department of National Defence, and Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence.

From Western Canada comes the suggestion that Hon. T. A. Crerar may be invited by Mr. King to come, either as Minister of Railways or of Immigration. The inclusion of Mr. Crerar would, in all probability, involve the resignation of Hon. Robert Forke and his appointment to the Manitoba Senate vacancy. Those near to Mr. Forke say that he has no intention as yet of such a change.

HOLDS THE KEY
The Prime Minister holds the key to the riddle, and he is keeping his own counsel. Beyond announcing that an appointment to the Department of Railways would be made before the opening of Parliament, he has said nothing. It is possible that Mr. King may confine his appointments at present to filling the Railway vacancy. If, at the same time, he can secure representation for the Quebec minority, nothing further will be necessary at present.

On the other hand, he may consider the time opportune for a more extensive readjustment of his Cabinet.

Civil Servants To Ask Further Rise in Salary

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—Indication that the Dominion Government will soon be requested to grant all classes of civil servants a flat salary increase of \$180 is contained in the annual message of President Vernon L. Dawson, of the Ottawa Civil Service Association as published in the current issue of The Civil Service News. The request, which the association executive is expected to make, would entail the balance of the 1930 increase sought in 1927. At that time, a flat salary of \$120 was sanctioned by the Government.

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Where Royal Sportsman Goes Shooting



OFFICIAL announcement has been made that Prince George will not accompany the Prince of Wales on the latter's African big game hunt. This layout shows: Top, left, His Royal Highness on the look for a good shot; top, right, a view of Capetown, showing the wharf where the Prince landed during his last visit to South Africa, Table Mountain in the background; lower left, an unusual view of a hippopotamus in the Komati River, in the Transvaal; lower right, a Zulu belle in an open-air "beauty shoppe" getting the final touches on her coiffure.—Photos courtesy South African Government Bureau, 11 Broadway, New York.

Opportunities for Young Men Are Plentiful Here But Jobs Must Be Found

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—"It is ridiculous for us to be shipping opportunities out of this province in the shape of raw ore—only to be followed by our young people in search of jobs." Declaring in these words against waste of opportunity in British Columbia Premier S. F. Tolmie, speaking at a luncheon of the Gyro Club today, gave a hint that the establishment of a smelter on the Coast may be a development of the not too distant future.

CITY WILL LEASE SITE FOR AIRPORT

Lansdowne Road Ground Will Be Acquired for Emergency Use of Landing Aeroplanes Here

CITY BOUND FOR ONLY ONE YEAR

The City of Victoria will lease the airport site at Lansdowne Road and Richmond Avenue, which contains seventy-seven acres, for an emergency field for the landing of aeroplanes. The lease will be for three years, but the city will be only bound for one year, for the lease can be terminated at the option of the owner or the city on giving three months' notice at any time after October 1, 1930.

The City Council last night adopted the following motion, moved by Alderman William T. Straith, seconded by Alderman W. H. Cullin:

"That the industrial committee be authorized to enter into an agreement with the owner of the site at Lansdowne Road and Richmond Avenue, which contains seventy-seven acres, for an emergency field for the landing of aeroplanes. The lease will be for three years, but the city will be only bound for one year, for the lease can be terminated at the option of the owner or the city on giving three months' notice at any time after October 1, 1930."

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Miss Stewart Favored for Library Post

The surveys engaged on the selection of a director for the proposed county library system to be adopted in British Columbia, have recommended the appointment of Miss Helen Stewart, former librarian of the Public Library, Victoria. This matter of the appointment of a director has been of vital concern to the Carnegie Trust, whose head, Dr. Frederick P. Keppel, is a visitor in the city at the present time, and the grant of \$100,000 which they are prepared to give to the establishment of the scheme has depended largely on the selection of a satisfactory appointee. It is understood that the recommendation meets with unanimous approval.

Oak Bay Motor Bus Route Defined to Restrict Use Of Portions of Two Streets

MOTOR buses will be unable to operate on Douglas Street, between Yates and Fort Street, and on Fort Street, between Douglas Street and the junction of Yates and Fort Streets, in a service to and from the city and Oak Bay, as a result of an amendment made by the City Council last night to the Streets Traffic and Regulation By-Law. This leaves all other routes open to the Blue Line stages or other buses in an Oak Bay service.

A by-law framed to give effect to an agreement made several weeks ago between the city, the Blue Line stages and the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, with the consent of Oak Bay municipality, was brought down at a recent session of the City Council, and called for a route of motorbuses plying between the city and Oak Bay, namely, that of Yates to Douglas, Douglas to Johnson, Johnson to Blanshard, Blanshard to Yates, Yates to Port, Port to Pandora, and then to the city limit, returning via Pandora, Fort and Yates Street.

The B.C. Electric, through its solicitor, Mr. Atwell D. King, suggested an amendment which would prohibit the use of Fort Street, from Yates Street junction to the city, and Douglas Street, from Port to Yates, by the buses in the Oak Bay service. In a further letter to the council last night, Mr. King contended that the city's duty lay in providing a curtail motor service under Class "A" motor bus transportation by limiting such traffic entering the city from Oak Bay to one route.

The Royal Blue Line Motor Tours, which operates the Blue Line stages on the city-Oak Bay run, informed the council last week of its objection to the amendment.

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HOUSE TOLD PROGRAMME BY PREMIER

Only One Question on Agenda for Discussion, Namely, How to Agree Upon Naval Cuts or Limits

CANADA INVITED TO BE PRESENT

Efforts Being Made to Prevent Trouble Feared to Arise From Demands to Be Made by Japan

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Prime Minister MacDonald today announced the plans and scope of the Five-Power Naval Conference which will open on January 21, in the Royal Gallery of the House of Lords, and will then hold its subsequent sessions at St. James' Palace, on the invitation of King George.

The four chief British delegates will be Premier MacDonald himself; Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, the Foreign Secretary; Rt. Hon. A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty; and Rt. Hon. Wedgwood Benn, Secretary of State for India.

All of the units of the Empire have been invited to send delegates. The names of these have not yet been made public.

The High Commissioners stationed in London probably will represent the Dominions.

Questioned regarding the conference programme, the Premier replied:

"There will be only one subject on the agenda, namely, how best the five powers represented at the conference can agree upon reduction and limitation of naval armaments on a basis of mutually accepted strength."

"The question of the procedure to be adopted at the conference is a matter for discussion with the Governments of the countries concerned and for decision by the conference itself. I doubt whether there will be any information on this particular point which I can usefully give the House before the conference assembles."

The Prime Minister said that the date for the opening of the Naval Conference had been definitely open.

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ASK C.N.R. TO MAKE VICTORIA ITS HOME PORT

City Council Endorses Ald. Worthington's Resolution Regarding British Columbia Fleet of Steamers

REQUEST SUPPORT OF ALL DISTRICTS

The Canadian National Railways will be asked to make the city of Victoria the home port for its British Columbia fleet of steamers, the City Council decided last night, when it unanimously approved a resolution sponsored by Alderman John A. Worthington and seconded by Alderman John L. Mara. All the adjacent municipalities will be invited by the Council to lend support to this request.

Alderman Worthington, in speaking to his motion, said the city should do all in its power to induce the Canadian National Railways to make Victoria its home port for its steamers which will next year ply in coast waters on the triangular run between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle.

It is understood that the present C.N.R. boats now operating on the Coast are repaired at Prince Rupert, and supplies are secured at Vancouver. It is felt that Victoria should get a share of this business, if not all of it, Alderman Worthington said.

The resolution which the Council approved, was as follows:

"Whereas the Canadian National Railways will be operating a regular service of ferry steamers between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle, early in 1930;

"And whereas in Victoria and Esquimalt every facility is available for the repairing and outfitting of ships, including the government dry-dock at Esquimalt, the largest and most up-to-date on the Pacific Coast;

"Be it resolved that the City Council request the Canadian National Railways to make the city of Victoria the home port for its British Columbia fleet of steamers, and that all adjoining municipalities be asked to lend support to this request."

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Heinz Spaghetti 3 tins, 31c		Sauces, per lb. 17c
Nabob Tea, 1-lb. pkts. 55c		Chateau Cheese, tall tins 24c
Pure Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tins 49c		Washing Starch, 1-lb. pkts. 10c
Vi-Tone, 1-lb. tins 49c		Black Light Stove Pouch, per tin 10c
Almond Paste, 15-lb. pkts. 24c		
Seed Raisins, 2 pkts. 25c		
Apricots, 2 1/2, in heavy syrup, per tin 23c		

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bers. Replying to one of these, which suggested that the League covenant covered the situation, Mr. Henderson said that Great Britain and the other powers felt it would be much better to take action under the Kellogg-Briand pact because both Russia and China had signed it.

JAPAN WONT SUPPORT
TOKIO, Dec. 2.—An official statement issued today said that Japan does not intend to issue a declaration supporting the American note to China and Russia, warning them of their obligations under the Kellogg-Briand pact, or otherwise to associate herself with the proposal.

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down and launched a boat. The crew of the lifeboat, battled for hours with mountainous seas and a shroud of snow before they succeeded in taking off the schooner's crew. Later the lifeboat followed up this feat by rescuing the crew of the schooner Catherine B., and landed them all at St. John's today.

Meanwhile hope was abandoned for three of the pilots aboard the Number One, a pilot boat which left last night to put men on board the disabled Norwegian freighter Hertha, with the Sagische had been attempting to tow to port. The pilot boat capsized after putting the man aboard the freighter. Before the blinding snow shut them from view one pilot was seen to sink. Two tugboats searched in vain for the men.

The Norwegian freighters, Grey County and Labelle County, were disabled 140 miles east of St. John's and 400 miles southeast of St. John's respectively. A tug was due to take the Grey County, her rudder broken, in tow.

The Labelle County had lost her smokestack and bridge deck.

HE GAVE HIS LIFE

SAULT STE. MARIE, Dec. 2.—How Captain Alexander T. Young, of the steamer Kiowa, gave his life in a futile effort to save four members of the crew was related today by Oscar Tomlinson, chief engineer of the Kiowa, who was on board when the ship was wrecked.

Tomlinson reached Newberry and communicated with this place, telling for the first time the story of the tragic cruise of the freighter under the command of the son-in-law of the owner, O. W. Blodgett, of Bay City, Michigan.

Besides Captain Young, those lost were: Max Westenderg, Buffalo, wheelman; W. E. Embolien, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.; Jack Mackay, porter, and James Senocoe, Duluth, Washman.

Westenderg's frozen body, adrift in an open boat, was recovered Sunday by coastguardsmen.

TWENTY MEN SAVED

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 2.—This evening a wireless message was received here to the effect that the crew of twenty men of the steamer Sarniaco, aground at the Main Duck Island, had been safely removed by the steamer Elsie Campbell, which has been standing by since the Sarniaco went aground early

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to the amendment suggested by the B.C. Electric Company. In a letter to the Council last night, the Royal Blue Line concern wrote the Council that its directors had no more to say in the matter and would leave the decision entirely in the hands of the Victoria City Council.

The Council, on motion of Alderman J. J. Macdonald, seconded by Alderman John Harvey, deleted from the amendment desired by their employers.

Polling Day in Tamworth Riding Marred by Rains

WARWICK, Eng., Dec. 2.—Rain and floods are making voting in the by-election in the Tamworth division of Warwickshire difficult today. The country lanes in the districts adjoining Birmingham are under water, and even the main roads in some places are submerged to a depth of two or three feet, making it difficult for rural voters to get to the polls.

Sir Arthur Steel-Maitland is seeking to re-enter the House of Commons through the by-election. His Labor opponent is Mr. George Horne.

The seat became vacant through the resignation of Sir Edward Liffie, who was elected as a Conservative in the general election in May. The vote at the general election was: Conservative, 29,807; Horne, Labor, 14,402.

INSTITUTES FAVOR FIVE CENTS RATE

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Growers' Association, Messrs. J. Y. Gopema, of the Cowichan Agricultural Association, were also present at the meeting.

This action by representative farmers of the country would seem to indicate that there is on the part of this section of the population a decided movement in favor of the increase in the gas tax. The work done under Hon. N. S. Loughheed, as Minister of Public Works, this year in improving the highways throughout the country has been the subject of many commendations from the farming sections.

Senator Shot in His Own Theatre By Unknown Man

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 2.—State Senator Joseph Mogier, fifty-three, was shot in the chest today in a theatre here, while he was seated in the front row of the audience.

Two men who were with him in the theatre at the time of the shooting, one of whom was a bodyguard, were also shot.

Circumstances surrounding the murder caused the police to dismiss a theory of robbery, believing that Mogier was killed by men involved in his relations with gangsters.

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Mr. J. S. H. Matson, of the Vancouver Island Coach Lines, has been communicating with the Esquimalt Council, stating that his letter was acknowledged. Councilman Charles H. Smith seconded the motion, which was approved.

It was decided that the special meeting will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

THE LETTERS

Mr. Matson's letter read as follows:

"Dear Sirs.—With your permission I should like to be given the opportunity to discuss with yourself and members of the council the advisability of placing motor coaches upon the Esquimalt Road from the city to Esquimalt. The time and place to suit your convenience, providing you are sufficiently interested to look into the matter. Yours truly,

"J. S. H. MATSON."

The letter from the Royal Blue Lines follows:

"Dear Sirs.—We wish to make an application to you to pass a by-law giving our company permission to operate in your municipality over the following route:

"From the city limits at Dominion Road, along Dominion Road to Old Esquimalt Road, Old Esquimalt Road to New Esquimalt Road, along New Esquimalt Road to the dockyards where our terminus will be, then back along New Esquimalt Road to Admirals Road to Lyall Street, Lyall Street to Gore Street, Gore Street to Head Street to Duane Road to New Esquimalt Road and return to the centre of the city over Johnson Street Bridge.

"We are prepared to furnish a twenty-minute service over this mentioned route daily. We would operate buses of the very latest type. These coaches will have a seating capacity of thirty-five passengers and standing room for approximately twenty more people. Each bus

will carry fifty thousand dollars' worth of property damage insurance. Buses will have two exits, one at the front and one at the rear. Drivers will be of the very highest type, dressed in uniform.

"We are prepared to start this service at a six-cent fare, or six tickets for thirty-five cents, and will give passengers the privilege of transferring on to or off any of our lines which we now operate through Oak Bay, Uplands and through the Haultain Street district.

"We are a well organized transportation company and have made a success of the different bus lines we have gone into. We are now operating a large number of buses and have just recently ordered five more large coaches of the very latest type. Upon delivery of these buses, which will be not later than March 1, 1930, we would be prepared to start this operation in your municipality with your consent and assistance to help us to eliminate competition that may arise in the future.

"Trusting that this may be given due consideration, and that we may be favored with the privilege of this operation through your municipality. Yours truly,

"H. L. SANGSTER, Pres."

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ALLEGES TROUBLE

Another point in today's evidence was testimony by Chief of Police A. Davies, Penitentiary, that Charles Oliver tried to have the police chief ask Dr. Latimer to leave town because of trouble between Dr. Latimer and Oliver's wife.

When the chief refused the request the witness said Oliver and his brother Joseph, a Vancouver lawyer, made the same request at a special meeting of the police commission.

Constable F. H. Allcroft testified that a car belonging to Oliver closely resembled one he had seen in front of Dr. Latimer's office the night the latter had been kidnapped. He had fired a shot at the car when it failed to heed his order to stop.

Warren Rolls, garage proprietor, testified that on the day following Oliver's arrest the accused brought his car to Rolls' garage to have it repaired. There was, he said, a bullet hole, half an inch across, in the body of the car. Rolls stuffed it with compound.

DR. LATIMER TESTIFIES

Dr. Latimer, in the course of his evidence this afternoon, said there was a man sitting at the wheel of the car in which he was driven away. "Who was it?" inquired the counsel. "Charles Oliver," replied the witness. "Are you sure?" counsel queried. "I am absolutely positive."

Dr. Latimer said: "Oliver came into my office last August and said, 'I want to see you in your private office.' If you are not out of this town in a week you will never leave it alive."

"He said, 'Look here, what do you mean?'"

"He replied, 'I give you seven days.'"

Referring events that occurred on the night of November 25, Dr. Latimer said he had gone to his office to keep an appointment made over the telephone by a man who gave him the name as "Harvey." He noticed a sedan automobile near his door and testified that Oliver was sitting at the wheel. On alighting from the car, Dr. Latimer said he was confronted by a heavily-built man.

TELLS OF ASSAULT

They had not exchanged more than a few words, he continued, when he was struck down by a heavy blow, then dragged to the auto and driven swiftly away.

At a did not recognize at the time, his captors removed his trousers, slashed his underwear and poured fluid over his body.

Under a severe cross-examination, Dr. Latimer was unshaken in his testimony. He insisted that it was Oliver's voice he heard at the Indian Reserve where the fluid and feathers were applied.

Defence counsel proposed that Dr. Latimer be blindfolded and asked to identify voices of people in court. After a heated argument, the court ruled against the proposal on the ground that conditions would be different.

CHARGE IS CHANGED

At the opening of the hearing, the charge of "assault causing grievous bodily harm" was changed to the more serious one of "forcible seizure." The accused pleaded "not guilty."

Magistrate G. F. Guernsey presided and seated with him were Magistrates W. G. Wilkins and J. Mitchell.

The new charge, which is under Section 29-B of the Criminal Code, carries with it, upon conviction, a maximum penalty of twenty-five years in the penitentiary. The charge is an eleven-hour move from the city to the Indian Reserve. H. H. Boyle is counsel for Oliver.

The police state that they anticipated six new arrests in the case and that the car used by the man who took Dr. Latimer away had been identified. The arrests, it is understood, will be on charges of conspiracy.

"Would you say 'Yes' if I asked you to marry me?" he asked, cautiously. "If I should say 'Yes,' she replied, with equal caution, 'would you ask me?'"

Painful Boils One After the Other Broke Out On Arms

Miss K. Rudd, 1100 Victoria Drive, Vancouver, B.C., writes:—"About a year ago I was troubled with boils. They broke out on my arms, and no sooner was one healed than another would come to take its place. I suffered great pain with them, and tried different medicines and ointments, but they did me no good. I was advised to take

HOUSE TOLD PROGRAMME BY PREMIER

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for January 21, despite possible conflict with the January meeting of the Council of the League of Nations.

CANADA TO BE THERE

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—Canada will be represented at the Disarmament Conference to be held on January 21 in London. The representatives of the Dominion have not been selected yet.

"Canada will be represented at the conference," Premier W. L. Mackenzie King stated this afternoon, "but I cannot say yet by whom we will be represented."

While the appointment of representatives had not been considered and no official intimation has been made in the matter, it is possible that Hon. J. L. Ralston, as Minister of National Defence, may be present.

WHAT JAPAN DEMANDS

TOKIO, Dec. 2.—Great Britain and the United States, it was learned in official circles today, have asked the Tokyo Government to indicate the total number of auxiliary cruisers they will demand for purposes of national defence rather than making the number a matter of ratio.

The Tokyo officials have made no reply to the request but it is understood they are considering the matter. The request was accepted as indicating apparent fear by the two Occidental naval powers of the possibility of an impasse if Japan insists on the per cent ratio of big cruisers as compared to America and Great Britain.

CITY WILL LEASE SITE FOR AIRPORT

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into negotiations for the lease of this site from the owner, Mrs. Robert Scott, on the following terms: A lease for two years and eleven months as from November 1, 1929, eleven months' rental at rate of \$650 per annum, last two years' rental at \$700 per annum. City to have option to purchase prior to October 1, 1930, at \$1,000 per acre, seventy-seven acres in all.

Lease to be terminated at option of owner or the corporation on giving three months' notice at any time after October 1, 1930. Option of renewal for further three years for rental to be agreed upon, or to be determined by arbitration if parties do not agree.

Alderman Strath informed the council that members of the industrial committee, together with Mayor Anson and Alderman Mara, had inspected a number of grounds which might be suitable for an airport, but such places were not at present in proper condition for the landing of aeroplanes, and in some instances approval for their use would have to be obtained from the Dominion Government, which would take some time.

ON AIR MAP

"We must be on the air map. It is essential that the city have a suitable place where aeroplanes can land. If we have not a permanent base, we at least should provide an emergency base. I suggest that we approve the lease as recommended recently by the City Council for a three-year term, and we bind ourselves definitely for one year. This will give us a temporary base, and in the meantime we can look around and see if there is other property which in future years we should prefer for our airport," Alderman Strath declared.

Alderman Litchfield inquired what money would have to be spent on the Lansdowne airport.

Alderman Strath said he had been advised by persons who were well acquainted with the field that the airport was in good condition. "There are traps in other places on the ground, but the runways are in good shape. This field will be utilized only as a temporary base, and I don't think we need to spend any money on it."

OBJECTION RAISED

The sole objection to the proposal was voiced by Alderman Worthington, who considered that considerable expenses would likely be entailed if the city took over the Lansdowne Road airport. "I think it would be necessary to have a man on the ground and some work would have to be done. Once we get it started, we will have to keep it up, and it may cost a lot of money. The financial end of the proposal is too indefinite for us to support."

Mayor Anson asked the city engineer if any money would have to be spent on the runways to make them perfectly safe for the landing of planes, and the engineer estimated that the sum of \$200 would be required to fill in the holes on the runways.

Alderman Dewar and Mara said they realized that it was necessary to have an emergency airplane field, and would support the proposal, providing that no money would be spent other than in the filling in of the holes to make the runways safe for landing purposes.

The Strath-Cullen resolution, authorizing the city to lease the Lansdowne airport site, was then adopted with Alderman Worthington voting against it.

FINANCIER DIES

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Mr. David Paken, K.C., prominent financier, died here today after a lengthy illness. He was sixty-nine years old. He was president of the Excelsior Life Insurance Company and president of the Nipissing Mines. He held extensive interests in lands and mines in Texas.

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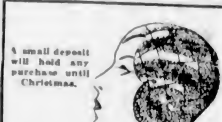
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City Police Court

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John Wright was fined \$5 for failing to have a chauffeur's licence. Edward Ash and W. T. Piatell failed to answer similar charges and the cases were laid over until today.

Advisory Board Is In Session Here On Many Subjects

Bounties on Predatory Animals and Birds Discussed—Traveling Children's Clinic in Outlying Parts of Province Is Considered—Revision of Constitution

Formal Welcome Given By Departmental Officers

THE Advisory Board of the Farmers' Institute is now in session in the Parliament Buildings considering resolutions which it is proposed to place before the Government, and before the legislative committee dealing with farming matters. Every member of the board is in attendance at this important gathering. The meetings are being held in the Maple Room, and an early opportunity was taken yesterday morning of their presence in the city for extending a hearty welcome by Hon. W. Atkinson, Minister of Agriculture, and by his deputy minister, Mr. J. B. Munro.

The minister and the deputy assured the board of their hearty co-operation in the work in hand and they promised the members all facilities at their disposal for the carrying on of the work in hand. They hoped that the co-operation between the board and the Government would be cordial throughout.

PREDATORY BIRDS
In the recommendations received from the various districts there were a number dealing with the subject of bounties on predatory animals and birds. Many of these were quite strongly worded and pressed for active measures being adopted. The board, in considering the whole matter, decided upon the recommendation of rather a decided departure from the present methods of handling such matters.

This subject will be taken up with the Minister of Agriculture on the next day or two, before a final decision is reached with regard to the matter.

CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION
A special committee was appointed at the meeting to prepare a revision of the rules and also to consider amendments to the present act governing Farmers' Institutes as a preparatory move to applying for incorporation of the advisory board. This report will be received later in the sessions.

The various reports of the various members for their districts is set for consideration today.

The meetings are being presided over by Mr. O. B. Appleton, of Proctor. Mr. A. B. Smith, of Cranbrook, is secretary.

The remaining members from the different districts are as follows: Dr. R. C. Bamford for Nechako and Prince George; Mr. R. H. Hurd for Courtenay; Mr. E. H. D. Reid, for the Poultry Association; Mr. T. Abriel, for the Fruit Growers' Association; and Messrs. J. Y. Cope, Mr. W. E. Neal, for the Cowichan Agricultural Association; Mr. W. J. Bonavia, superintendent of Farmers' Institutes, is also in attendance ready to lend any assistance possible.

The sessions of the board will last several days, it is expected. A resolution from Central British Columbia asking for a traveling clinic to care for operations on children in outlying districts, where it is impossible to reach doctors, or hospitals, was before the board when it adjourned.

Labor Sustains Defeat on Vote In Upper House

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Labor Government was defeated in the House of Lords today, 37 to 16, when an amendment was adopted to the Widows' Pension Bill providing that payments of pensions be limited to needy widows.

The Laborites have only a handful of members in the House of Lords, the great majority being Conservatives and Liberals. The adverse vote is not regarded as other than possibly making eventual enactment of the law in the form the Government desires somewhat more difficult.

SAFEBLOWERS AT WORK

EDMONDS, Dec. 2.—Safeflowers cracked a strong box at the Regent Theatre, Hastings Street, North Burnaby, during the week-end, obtaining \$250.

FAINT, DIZZY SPELLS

Had to Sleep Propped Up In Bed
Mrs. Norman Bishop, Salisbury N.B., writes—"I was troubled with faint and dizzy spells and when I would lie down I would suffer terribly with smothering spells. I got so bad I had to sleep propped up in bed."

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SAANICHTON WINS FIRST PLACE AGAIN

Fair Management Also Is Praised for North and South Saanich Society's Show

DUNCAN PRAISED FOR LIVESTOCK

The Department of Agriculture, through Mr. W. J. Bonavia, secretary of British Columbia Fairs, has compiled for general information the results of the score card reports sent in by the official judges of exhibitions. It is interesting to find that for another year in succession the North and South Saanich exhibition in its circuit, which takes in the lower part of Vancouver Island and the adjoining Gulf Islands, won first place in the scoring. The standing for Saanichton is 84.1 marks for 1929, and 84.3 marks for 1928.

Reporting upon the general situation with regard to the matter of scoring, Mr. Bonavia in his report says:

"The department is pleased to note that in spite of the somewhat abnormal weather conditions, that it has been possible for a number of fairs in each circuit to increase their total score. On the Vancouver Island circuit three fairs are scored over 80 per cent. In the Lower Mainland, four fairs; in the Okanagan, two fairs; and in the West Kootenay, one. These are high figures, as any score over 75 per cent is considered good."

"Whilst so many of the fairs show progress in several sections of their work, it is difficult to pick out outstanding examples, but it is felt that reference should be made to some of the outstanding features, such as a score of nineteen out of twenty points or over for the management of such fairs as Saanichton, Alberni, Duncan, Matsqui and Armstrong; the score of nine out of ten points for livestock at fairs such as Duncan and Matsqui; Armstrong being awarded the full ten points for this section."

The judges' score cards report, covering the years 1928 and the preceding year 1929, shows the following as far as Circuit One is concerned:

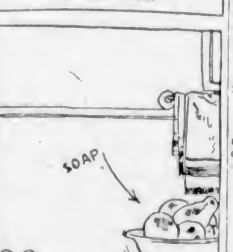
	1929	1928
Saanichton	84.1	84.3
Alberni	83.8	79.9
Duncan	83.2	79.0
Ladysmith	75.7	78.9
Cobble Hill	75.4	72.7
Courtenay	69.9	79.6
Sayward	68.8	63.8
Ganges	68.4	79.1
Puffin Harbor	64.4	72.0
Mayne Island	62.2	59.5
	61.0	58.0

First Circuit—They say that hundreds of people separate after only a few weeks of married life.

Second Circuit—But why the delay?

WHASSAT?

By J. H. GILBERT



The closing rites were conducted by the officers of the lodge, after which the National Anthem was sung, and Rev. F. C. Mortimer pronounced the benediction.

Swine Breeders of Province Are Now Incorporated Body
On Friday last the Provincial Swine Breeders' Association held its annual meeting at the Fair Grounds, Vancouver, when the incorporation papers of the association, which has now been organized for twelve months, were ratified.

Officers elected were as follows: President, Mr. John Shannon, of Cloverdale; vice-president, Mr. D. H. Strachan, of Panquilly; secretary-treasurer, Mr. F. G. Strickland, of Lulu Island; directors, Mr. C. H. Woodhouse, Mrs. M. E. McVicker, Mr. James MacCallum, Mr. E. A. Gamble and Mr. William Marshall.

The executive committee for the ensuing year will be composed of the president, vice-president and to an inquisitive young man. Just imagine a big juicy pear being soap! Bah!

TWO MEMBERS OF McALPINE PARTY RETURN

Now Safe at Cranberry Portage, Near The Pas, After Delayed Flight From Soney Rapids

COLONEL McALPINE EXPECTED TODAY

CRANBERRY PORTAGE, Man., Dec. 2.—The advance guard of the McAlpine party reached civilization tonight. At dusk a super-Fokker monoplane, bringing two members of the McAlpine group and four of their rescuers, reached Cranberry Portage, fifty miles north of The Pas. Members of the plane party were A. Goodwin, of Hamilton, Ontario, mechanic, and Richard Pearce, of Toronto, editor of The Northern Miner.

Other passengers were Pilot Andy Cruickshank, Prince George, B.C.; Pilot Roy Brown, Winnipeg; Alf Walker, Vancouver, mechanic, and Dr. Donald Bruce, The Pas.

HAS FROZEN FEET
Goodwin, suffering from frozen feet, was carried from the ski-fitted plane when it came to a stop on the frozen ice of Lake Athapuskow. The machine landed at 5:05 p.m. after a blizzard had interrupted the 450-mile flight from Soney Rapids, whence the machine took off at 8:25 o'clock this morning. It is expected Goodwin will be taken by plane to The Pas tomorrow for further medical attention. Colonel O. D. H. McAlpine is expected tomorrow.

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Dr. Ralph Modjeski Wins Award for Fame as Builder of Fine Bridges

With 799 tons of Japanese oranges and ninety-four tons of Chinese merchandise for discharge, the American Mail liner President Jackson docked at Rithet pier from the Orient at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, in command of Captain John Griffith. She left for Seattle at 9:30 a.m.

There were 175 passengers in all classes aboard the Jackson—twenty-seven steerage for Victoria, sixty-nine first class and seventy-nine third class for Seattle. Puget Sound cargo included 400 tons of Japanese oranges, 382 tons of raw silk and the balance Chinese merchandise and foodstuffs.

Those on board included Dr. Ralph Modjeski, New York consulting engineer and son of Madame Helena Modjeski, famous Polish tragedienne. Dr. Modjeski, who was identified with the great bridge which spans the St. Lawrence River at Quebec, will be presented with the John Fritz gold medal in January for notable achievement as an engineer of great bridges combining the principles of strength and beauty.

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FREEDOM OF THE SEAS

The conception regarding the freedom of the seas entertained by Mr. Hoover, the President of the United States, to the effect that food ships should be exempt from interference in time of war is not one that will meet with world-wide appreciation. If that policy is injected into a discussion of naval limitations it may wreck any conference on the subject. Mr. Hoover's Armistice Day speech, which contained a reference to the foregoing policy, outlines the American attitude towards peace which, in effect, is an entire willingness to assist in the organization of peace but a refusal to enforce it. The United States will not associate itself with any "sanctions" against an offending state.

There are many difficulties attending any proposal to exempt food ships from interference in time of war. Everyone, or nearly everyone, is agreed that too great a horror is added to war by inflicting the danger of starvation on the civilian population of a country engaged in the struggle. French criticism of Mr. Hoover's proposal, however, points out that such a limitation as he suggests would, "by relieving the aggressor of all cares in the feeding of the population, encourage and allow the continuation of a resistance that would inevitably increase the sum total of death and misery all round." There is criticism also to the effect that Mr. Hoover's reference to countries that live by the export of foodstuffs can be held to be an impossible attempt to convert material necessity into moral law.

THE WALL STREET DEPRESSION

The crash of prices on the New York Stock Exchange affected all stock exchanges in the Dominion; in fact, investors and speculators in this country have been as hard hit proportionately as those in the United States. The effect has been so widespread that it should carry a telling lesson in its wake. The "booming" of the stock market was carried to unprecedented heights; fictitious values of stocks were registered and the reaction has been of a profound character. The people in both urban and rural communities are involved. Banks have suffered large withdrawals from savings accounts. Life insurance companies report that there never have been heavier borrowings on policies. In many households, because of losses on the stock market, rigid economy is the watchword of the time. The luxury trades are experiencing a dull time because there are fewer people in a position to buy luxuries.

In Canada these stock exchange losses have come at a time when wheat shipments are not moving overseas in the volume of previous years. Whereas up to this time of the year, in 1928, 181,000,000 bushels of grain had left the port of Montreal, only some 82,000,000 bushels have been shipped during 1929. The grain elevators there are overflowing. The wheat pool's policy has led to substantial decreases in the railway traffic receipts. Some years ago such effects would have been a great deal more pronounced than they are today. The solidity of the country's business is reflected in the fact that contraction in trade and industry is not widespread.

Out of the experience through which the country is passing the great moral is that money should be kept at home in legitimate investments instead of being employed abroad in speculative ventures which have led to losses of scores of millions of dollars. In the game of speculation on the stock exchange hundreds lose for every one that is a winner. This fact has been brought home with a vengeance during recent weeks.

CRITICIZING ART CRITICS

Many thoughtful people will agree with Mr. Frank Salisbury in his vigorous criticism of art critics. Mr. Salisbury was opening an art exhibition in the famous Art Gallery at Liverpool, and it would seem to be abundantly worth while to pass on some of the things said by one of the most famous portrait painters of our time. "Never before have we had such a wealth of artistic ability," he said, "necessarily in outstanding geniuses, but in numbers endowed with capacity and executive powers. But it is unbridled—it is like a powerful motor car engine, roaring away with the throttle wide open in a locked garage, making a terrible noise, letting off harmful gas, with the electric switch sounding the Klaxon horn of notoriety, which any child can sound. Thus it is that you have your cubism, your impressionism, and your degrading realism masquerading as art."

Mr. Salisbury went on to say that he did not regard the national situation in Great Britain at the present time as art's worst handicap, the responsibility and blame being due, not to the state of modern art, but to the people who are encouraging it. If the crowds flocked to see and afterwards talked about these "outrages against time, taste and art," then they alone are culpable, but he complained that these things are being advertised in the world's daily press, and reflect the views of the art critics who "alone he would call to judgment."

We are all anxious to improve the standards of art, but the art critic has given the wrong and adventurous lead into new, dangerous and primitively experimental fields. The art critic, consciously or unconsciously, have discredited a great deal of modern art, largely because they differ hopelessly among themselves as to what constitutes good and bad art. They use the same set terms in praise of a world-accepted masterpiece as they lavish on the latest monstrosity. Confused and confounded in their judgments, artists look on amazed and often themselves become mesmerized. The reaction is felt at once; art collectors and dealers hesitate and refuse to purchase works which outrange all standards of

well-founded and traditional excellence. They can afford to await the judgment of time. In the meantime present-day creative art suffers. Explaining how to look at a picture, Mr. Salisbury said: "You need not be an artist to be a critic, a philosopher or a crank. To be a keen observer of Nature and to have a knowledge of the old masters is very helpful. Have good taste, be a lover of the beautiful, but above all approach a work of art with sincerity and natural simplicity. Be generous, reverent, attentive and appreciative, remembering that all great things are wrought in the atmosphere of appreciation. These are the essential keys which will open to you the treasure of the Palace of Art; its splendor, its beauties, and the enchantments are free for all to possess. You may pay \$100,000 for a picture, yet may never own it in your soul. A great masterpiece gradually unfolds its beauty and thought. You must not expect to see all at once. You must bring something of yourself to get a true response."

A WEST COAST ROAD

The Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island have gone on record as favoring the immediate construction of the road from Sprat Lake to Tofino. This road will give the most direct connection between the Island Highway and the West Coast settlements. It will involve less difficult construction than over other routes suggested for connection with the West Coast. It will bring practically all the settled portion of Vancouver Island in touch with Long Beach, an area which possesses unusual advantages for recreational development. From both scenic and commercial aspects there is a great deal to commend the construction of this highway and there is every reason to believe that the Department of Public Works is fully seized of the opportunities which it offers. There has never been such unanimity of opinion in the Associated Boards of Trade as there is on the subject of the Sprat Lake-Tofino Road. West Coast settlements have been too isolated for too long. The first major governmental activity in road-building on Vancouver Island in the coming year should be this West Coast connection.

The Bell Telephone Laboratory at New York has demonstrated the value of using talking machines in the operation of automatic telephones. Their use is for the purpose of increasing the speed of communication. The device is explained as consisting of ten films, numbered from zero to nine, and recorded by an operator selected for the perfection of her "telephone voice." The films are wound on drums installed in the exchange. The dialing of the numbers required by a subscriber automatically releases the films. They begin to revolve so that the voice recorded on them calls out the number required to the exchange operator.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, at 8 p.m., December 2, 1929.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES	
	Rain Min. Max.
Nanaimo	36 40
Vancouver	38 40
Kamloops	28 32
Prince George	28 32
Estevan Point	32 48
Prince Rupert	34 38
Dawson	6 12
Seattle	36 48
Portland	38 44
San Francisco	50 54
Los Angeles	50 58
Spokane	snow, trace
Penticton	32 38
Vernon	27 33
Grand Forks	17 31
Nelson	28 35
Kaslo	23 35
Cranbrook	16 27
Calgary	12 14
Edmonton	8 40
Swift Current	46 28
Prince Albert	126 20
Qu'Appelle	100 14
Winnipeg	106 6

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds. Generally fair and not much change in temperature, with local fog.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds. Generally fair, with local fog.

MONDAY

Maximum 45
 Minimum 40
 Average 42
 Minimum on ground 38
 Bright sunshine, 4 hours, 30 minutes.
 General state of weather, fair.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.14; wind, N., 12 miles; clear.
 Vancouver—Barometer, 30.14; calm; foggy.
 Kamloops—Barometer, 30.48; wind, W., 4 miles; cloudy.
 Prince George—Barometer, 30.38; calm; cloudy.
 Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.14; calm; cloudy.
 Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.10; wind, S.E., 4 miles; clear.
 Tatookah—Barometer, 30.06; wind, N.E., 28 miles; clear.
 Portland—Barometer, 30.08; wind, E., 4 miles; clear.
 Seattle—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N., 4 miles; foggy.
 San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02; wind, W., 4 miles; fair.

GORSE

Give me the shoulders green of the hills
 With the wet wind swinging high,
 Fragrant with scent of the golden gorse,
 And a rain-washed, cloud-swept sky.
 Give me the blossom all seasons know,
 Uncaring for garden-room—
 Why, kissing is out of season, dear,
 When the gorse is out of bloom!
 Maidens will cease to be kissed, my lass,
 When the gorse has ceased to bloom.

—A. M. Macdonald in The Montreal Star.

WHERE THE HANSOMS GO TO

A correspondent who has recently been touring extensively in the Far East writes that there are to be seen there at the present day many of the hansoms that formerly plied the London streets (says a London Daily Chronicle writer). At such places as Shanghai, Hong Kong, and even Yokohama, he states, several of these are now to be seen, and one who recalls them in the Strand and Piccadilly it comes as something of a surprise to see them driven by natives, who, however, handle them with considerable dexterity. A few years ago many of these hansoms were to be seen in Calcutta, Bombay, and other Indian cities, but they are being rapidly driven out by the ubiquitous "taxi." Some of these vehicles still exist in many of the smaller towns in this country.

Adhesion to one idea is monomania; to few, slavery. —Bovee.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

When the United States was a country of magnificent distances and great resources with a sparse population, as Canada is today, all patriotic and far-seeing Americans were in complete agreement upon one subject. The subject upon which public opinion was unanimous was immigration and settlement. The fathers of the republic no doubt had a dim conception of the high destiny of the nation they had founded, but their successors realized that broad domains and great resources depend upon population for development and conversion into the wealth which would make the nation great and permanently establish its position in a world of competing nations.

The civil war retarded the progress of the United States for a time. The real development of the United States as a world power began about the year 1870, and that year and for many years after there were no restrictions upon immigration. Foreigners of all lands were encouraged to come to the States. Every ship that arrived in the port of New York and other ports was crowded with prospective settlers. Most of the settlers were bound for Chicago. Many of them could pronounce but one English word, and that word was Chicago. Population swept over the country like a flood. Within a few years the Chicago became the second city of the United States in point of population and a great agricultural and industrial center.

The Fathers of the Canadian Confederation when they had finished their work of national foundation building, like the fathers of the republic when they had completed their job, rested from their labors and dreamt dreams. They realized that the future of Canada depended upon the promotion of immigration. The successors of the Canadian Fathers of Confederation appear to be lacking in the vision which was characteristic of their predecessors. The Canadian policy of the present day appears to be to keep people out of the country, not to invite people to come into the country.

There is at the present time an immigration department attached to the Government of Canada and a Minister of Immigration. One of the members of Parliament has given notice of intention to move for the abolition of the Department of Immigration and for the merging of the department with the Department of Labor, the Minister of which is to be invested with responsibility for the encouragement or discouragement of immigration, as the case may be. If there is one point upon which the voice of labor has been articulate, that point is the antagonism of labor to immigration of any kind, and the voice of labor upon that point appears to have been sufficiently potent to dictate the policy of the present Minister of Labor. And, so far as the interests of the country are concerned, the immigration policy of Canada might just as well be directed by Hon. Peter Heenan, the Minister of Labor, as by Hon. Robert Forke, the nominal Minister of Immigration.

But labor is not the only interest in Canada that is opposed to immigration. Labor believes in the principles of protection and the stifling of competition in the labor market. A voice from a somewhat unexpected place has been raised in opposition to immigration. That voice affects to speak in support of the principles of free trade and unfettered competition in certain departments of business and industry. It is the voice of the agriculturalist of the prairies, and while it may not be the unanimous voice of the agricultural West, its demand will doubtless arrest the attention of the Government and be listened to with an attentive ear and a receptive mind. The voice is opposed to the encouragement of settlement upon the agricultural lands of the West, because if settlement were encouraged more wheat will be grown, competition will become keener, prices will fall and the

task of the wheat pool be more difficult.

We do not say that the aspirations of labor and the aims of agriculture are not perfectly legitimate and quite justifiable, but it does appear to us that if such narrow and selfish policies are to be pursued, the dreams of the Fathers of Confederation are vain and it will be a long time before Canada, although a continent almost in physical proportions, boasts of a population greater than Belgium, which in point of territory is not much larger than Vancouver Island.

The situation is therefore one that calls for the serious consideration of statesmen of broad views regarding the future of Canada as distinguished from politicians who are more concerned about their own personal prospects than the future of their country. One fact appears to be obvious: Canada will never be flooded with voluntary British immigrants as long as the Labor Government remains in power and the dose system prevails.

WALTER G. YORK,
 R.R. 3, Victoria, B.C., November 29, 1929.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except on the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

OUTLET FOR PEACE RIVER COUNTRY

Sir,—Some misapprehension appears to exist concerning the true purpose of a railway outlet from the Peace River country. That purpose is not the upbuilding of Vancouver or Prince Rupert, but the carriage of grain or other products to a suitable port at the lowest possible cost. Only a disinterested expert, fully informed, is competent to select that port.

WALTER G. YORK,
 R.R. 3, Victoria, B.C., November 29, 1929.

ALDERMANIC SALARIES

Sir,—Would it not be a good time for aspirants to the City Council of 1930 to come forward now, before the election, and let voters know whether they intend to vote for a boat in salary again this year after they get in office? If that be the case, the voters will have a fair chance on election day to know surprise springs on them like they had this year.

With reference to a letter in Saturday's Times, "Youth Must Prevail," I certainly agree with the writer. We have a mayor to be proud of, who is second to none. He could get a lot farther if he had new blood in the Council, in that Council, wanting to know the ways and wherefores, that could be eliminated if we had a bunch of practical men who could work in harmony and get somewhere. The merchants of this city know what I'm talking about. Without saying any farther, I hope they will boost Victoria along when election day comes. Everyone knows she deserves it.

D. J. MILLER,
 1609 Amphion Street, Victoria, B.C., December 2, 1929.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaels

LOVE, DEEP AND STILL?

I have learned to love with words
 To utter when we meet
 Sounds like the April notes of birds.
 Though words are sweet.

I cannot make of smile a creed
 To show my ardent faith,
 To prove my trust in you, my need
 Through life and death.

My love, unlettered, only goes
 To brim the world's delight,
 To render every budding rose
 To speed larks' flight.

I have not gained the subtle skill
 That makes of love an art;
 The love I feel is deep and still
 Within my heart.

MR. MORESBY SPEAKS

Gives Address on Constitution to Members of Victoria Women's Conservative Association

At the meeting of the Victoria Women's Conservative Association last evening members of that organization were addressed by Mr. W. C. Moresby, K.C., on the subject of the constitution of the association and on the proper procedure in carrying out the best interest of the organization.

The address was an interesting one, abounding in information with regard to the constitution and the various officers and the members as a whole in the carrying out of the business of the meetings in a business-like way, and thus avoiding the drifting into unnecessary discussions which might be foreign to the objects of the association.

In addition to the information with regard to the constitution and procedure Mr. Moresby dealt with the subject of loyalty to the Conservative cause, which was one of the main objects of the banding together of the women into this organization. Party government in provincial affairs had, he pointed out, started with Sir Richard McBride formed his first cabinet. It had prevailed ever since that time. The advantages of party government were touched upon, and the speaker showed that in supporting the cause which was dear to them there was no room for petty quarrels.

It was necessary to look beyond any personal feelings and interest themselves in the cause of good government.

Mr. Moresby was thanked warmly for his instructive address before the body.

PROPOSED TAX REDUCTION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The Administration's proposal for a \$100,000,000 tax reduction, to be effected by a 1 per cent cut in the rates on individual and corporate incomes, today was presented by the new session of Congress before it was a minute old.

KYOTO MEETING AIDS PACIFIC UNDERSTANDING

Mr. Lawrence J. Burpee Tells Men's Canadian Club of Successful Institute Conference Held in Japan

MANY PRESSING PROBLEMS AHEAD

"The third conference of the Institute of Pacific Relations, held recently at Kyoto, Japan, was a decided success. The 200 delegates who attended will return to their respective countries with a clearer understanding of the problems of the Pacific and a better knowledge of the character and point of view of all nations and races represented. Each of these delegates may become a lever to spread the same broad ideas among his fellow countrymen, and from that ever-widening influence may come demand for concrete action by national governments in making this great Pacific area a place in reality as well as in name," said Mr. Lawrence J. Burpee, F.R.G.S., F.R.C., of Ottawa, noted Canadian author, in addressing the Men's Canadian Club in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel yesterday.

Introduced by President P. B. Fowler, of the Canadian Club, Mr. Burpee said he was one of the thirty members of the Canadian delegation which participated in the important conference at Kyoto. He recalled that the Institute of Pacific Relations was organized six years ago at Honolulu, and it would meet every two years.

"The purpose of the institute is not to settle matters of any kind. Its field is the great Pacific area. Its delegates do not go to the meetings pledged to the views of their own Governments, or commercial or business organizations, but to express their own individual views and dig down into the roots of the problems of the Pacific and reach conclusions that will be fair to all, and unreasonable to none," Mr. Burpee pointed out.

CALIBRE OF DELEGATES

Mr. Burpee spoke highly of the fine calibre of men who were present at the conference. Some of the best brains of China and Japan, the United States, Great Britain, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and other countries were brought together at the round tables at Kyoto. There were more than 200 men, there were many whose knowledge of international affairs were recognized the world over.

"They knew that the Institute of Pacific Relations could not itself settle any international problem, that indeed it had no such purpose. But they knew also that it might do a very great service not only to the countries facing the Pacific, but to the world at large if it succeeded in dispelling some of the clouds of misunderstanding that so often hide the pathway to international agreement."

"There were moments of tense-ness; sharp comments and equally sharp rejoinders; men would be scarcely human if they never allowed passion or prejudice to color their actions or conversation; but these never got beyond temporary flurries; the atmosphere of the round tables seemed altogether unfavorable to sustained rancor or recrimination," he reported.

"It was significant, too, how the play of mind upon mind helped to clear the air when the Chinese urged surrender by foreign nations of extraterritoriality, a British delegate, resident in China, explained why the practice should not be surrendered prematurely; then a Japanese statesman outlined the history of extraterritoriality in Japan, how she got rid of it without difficulty, because she had taken the precaution of putting her house in order before she demanded its abolition, by having put into operation laws satisfactory to foreign nations."

A SHINING EXAMPLE

"When the problem of Manchuria was under consideration, one of the Chinese asked why China and Japan might not settle differences by means such as the United States and Canada had devised for their common problems, and one of the Canadians or Americans would give an account of the history of the International Joint Commission and how it had been successful in securing peaceful and amicable adjustment of problems arising on the 4,000 miles of frontier between Canada and the United States," Mr. Burpee stated.

In concluding, Mr. Burpee spoke briefly upon the life and customs of the people of Japan, and referred to the evidences of modernity and survival from old Japan as reflected in homes, transportation, food and clothing. He mentioned the extraordinary courtesy and hospitality of the Japanese, and the visiting delegates from all nations represented at the party, stating that they couldn't do too much for us."

RABBIT BREEDERS PLAN FOR SHOW

The monthly meeting of the B.C. Provincial Rabbit Breeders' Association will be held at the Y.M.C.A. here this evening at 8 o'clock. The meetings are open to the public, and all

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From The Daily British Colonist of December 3, 1979:

New Colonial Bishop—On December 1, Rev. Acton W. Hillier, late chaplain to the British Legation at Darmstadt, was consecrated Bishop of New Westminster, Vancouver, and the Diocese of the Pacific.

Traders are invited for a steamship service between Victoria and San Francisco to be received up to December 5.

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MR. E. W. PRIOR PASSES AWAY

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WAR VETERAN AND B.C.S.
OFFICIAL DIES

Bronchial Pneumonia Takes Fatal Turn — Enlisted With First Canadian Division

A veteran of the Great War who enlisted in Victoria with the first Canadian contingent and who returned when, after the final victory, he had marched into Germany with the troops selected for that purpose, then for ten years a widely known and highly esteemed official in this city of the B.C. Coast Service, Mr. Ernest William Prior died at an early hour on Sunday morning at his home, 127 Eberts Street. Bronchial pneumonia, contracted a few days ago, took a serious turn, and despite every care and attention that could be given by two physicians, Dr. A. E. McCormick and Dr. E. W. Book, the malady proved fatal. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Lily May Prior; one son, Charles Prior, aged seven; two step-children, Percy Laing and Miss Constance Laing, all residing at home. Percy Prior, brother, and two sisters are located in England, and one sister is resident in Montreal.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 3:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate, and the remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The late Mr. Prior was born at Reading, England, in 1885, the son of Mr. Charles Prior. He was educated at Tunbridge Wells, and came to Canada at the age of eighteen years, going first to Lethbridge, and later to Victoria.

At the outbreak of the Great War, in August, 1914, Mr. Prior, who was a member of the Fifth Regiment, C.O.A., volunteered for service, and was one of the original contingent that left Victoria the same month

for Valcartier, where he became a sergeant in the 2nd Battery, C.F.A. Two months later he sailed with the troops from Quebec to England.

Mr. Prior took part in many historic engagements, including the second Battle of Ypres, where he was severely gassed; Festubert, the Somme, Vimy Ridge, and other engagements in which the Canadian Corps won distinction. He remained with the First Division right up to the close of hostilities, and was one of those selected to march into Germany after the Armistice was signed.

He returned to Victoria in February, 1919, and took up a post under the shore department of the B.C. Coast Service. For some years he was known as the popular and esteemed officer who guided tourists to and from the boats at the inner docks. Later he was promoted to the post of ticket collector at the gangway ticket wicket.

Cheerful and genial in disposition, unflinching in courtesy, he leaves behind him a very wide circle of friends who will feel his death as a personal loss.

Mr. Prior was a valued member of Court Victoria, A.O.F.

Minister Visits Lonsdale School At Shawnigan

Yesterday afternoon Hon. J. H. Hinchliffe, Minister of Education, paid a visit to the Lonsdale School at Shawnigan Lake. This residential school is one of the successful institutions on the Island devoted to the education of boys. There are in attendance at the institution some two hundred and ten boys, while fourteen teachers are employed.

The Minister of Education was asked to address the boys before he left, expressing pleasure at seeing them in such pleasant surroundings in the carrying out of their daily preparation for the sterner things of life later.

Fifty-two per cent of the students in medical schools of Russia are women, compared with twenty-eight per cent in 1913.

LEADERS ARE HOME FROM KYOTO PARLEY

Head of Canadian Delegation and President of Trade and Labor Council Back From Japan

 BOTH IMPRESSED
WITH CONFERENCE

The Empress of Canada brought to Victoria a number of returning delegates from the Kyoto Conference of the Institute of Pacific Relations when she docked Sunday, among them being Hon. Newton W. Rowell, head of the Canadian delegation, and Mr. Tom Moore, president of the Trades and Labor Council of Canada, a member of the same delegation.

Mr. Rowell was enthusiastic over the results achieved at Kyoto and was impressed with the absolute frankness which governed the conference. Purely for study and discussion, there was nothing official to interfere with freedom of expression. Most misunderstandings between nations occur through ignorance of facts, and much good is accomplished by meeting on common ground and talking openly. The outstanding result of the present meeting was the decidedly better understanding arrived at by the Japanese and Chinese delegates over the Manchurian situation. These conferences were instrumental in giving the delegates a wonderful insight into Pacific questions. The 1931 conference will be held in China. Canada did not extend an invitation, Mr. Rowell stated.

Mr. Tom Moore was impressed with the great beauty of Japan and the astute genius and wonderful courtesy of its people. He found it a live and prosperous country, with the leaders of industry taking advantage of modern development to establish their position. This did not apply to rural communities, only to the larger centres. Conditions in the outlying districts were much the same as they were two thousand years ago. Child labor was largely employed in the textile industries. Mr. Moore spoke eulogistically of Mr. Rowell's work at the head of the Canadian delegation.

Also prominent among the Canada's passengers was Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, widow of the wartime President of the United States, returning from the Orient, who was not inclined to be interviewed and would not say anything regarding the countries she had been visiting. Accompanied by some friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Phillips, of Richmond, V.C., were passengers on the Empress. Mrs. Wilson enjoyed a motor tour of the city while the liner was at the dock, the party returning on the loveliness of the day and the beauties of Victoria.

Obituary

LAMBORN—The remains of Mrs. Fannie Stansfeld Lamborn are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where funeral service will be held on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. O. L. Jull will officiate. The remains will later be forwarded to Vancouver for cremation. No flowers, by request.

JENNER—The funeral of Mr. Charles Reed Jenner will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 1:45, proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral, where service will be conducted at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

HOOD—The remains of Mr. Henry Hood were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock. Mr. Cropper officiated in the presence of a large number of friends. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Shall We Gather at the River." Many beautiful floral offerings were received and placed on the casket and hearse. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. A. Cameron, George Kennedy, S. G. Marling, W. Niblock, H. Henry and Dr. O. H. Ramsey.

FREEMAN—The death took place Sunday morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, of Mrs. Nora Kathleen Freeman, wife of Mr. Edwin Freeman, of 3438 Orchard Way, Saanich, aged thirty-three years. She was born in Golden Common, near Winchester, Hants, England, and had been a resident of this city for the last five years. There survive, besides her husband, one son, Billy, and one daughter, Mary, at home, her mother, two brothers and four sisters in England. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel and the remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MOORE—Many friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Maud Moore yesterday afternoon, from McCall Bros' Funeral Home. Rev. John Robb conducted the service, during which the hymn, "Rock of Ages," was sung. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park with the following as pallbearers: Messrs. A. E. Jones, L. LaLonde, C. Theixon, J. F. French, W. Davies and J. R. O'Venden.

PETERS—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Peters took place on Monday afternoon from McCall Bros' Funeral Home. Many friends attended the service, which was conducted by Rev. Clem Davies, D.D., during which the hymn, "Sun of My Soul," was sung. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park with the following acting as pallbearers: Messrs. H. P. Gravelin, T. Gravelin, Jr., A. McCormick, C. W. Sawyer, E. Pomeroy and W. Blake-more.

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SCHOOL BOARD CANDIDATES AT OAKLANDS

Trustee J. S. McMillan, Who Is Seeking Re-election, With Four Other Citizens, Take Platform

VIEWS STATED AND SUPPORT SOLICITED

Five candidates for the several vacancies on the School Board appeared at Oaklands School last evening on the invitation of the Oaklands Parent-Teacher Association, and stated their reasons for appealing to the voters for their support and influence on polling day, December 12. One of the candidates was Trustee J. S. McMillan, others being Messrs. Kenneth Ferguson, Thomas Humphries, Captain F. R. Wright and P. E. George. Trustee Wright and the seventh candidate, Mr. Victor E. Emery, were not present, previous engagements necessitating their presence elsewhere. During the evening, several vocal and instrumental numbers were supplied by Miss Margaret Maxwell and Mrs. W. S. Phillips, their selections being much appreciated by the gathering.

After "O Canada" had been sung and the regular business of the association was concluded, President W. H. Robbins called on the several candidates present to state their views. In turn, the speakers thanked the association for the opportunity accorded them of addressing the residents of Oaklands.

TRUSTEE McMILLAN

Trustee McMillan briefly outlined the duties of the School Board. It was a very peculiar body and got all kinds of advice. Being a member of the finance committee, he assured the audience that every cent expended by the board went for honest necessities. There would be a surplus at the end of the year for which the finance committee should be credited. While the school board was frequently blamed for the curriculum, he wanted his hearers to understand that the board had to act according to the School Act. Trustee McMillan gave the credit for the Victoria schools which compared more than favorably with other schools throughout the province. The high school had an average 20 per cent higher than the provincial average, and Oaklands' graded school particularly was very high. While he was strongly in favor of education, Trustee McMillan believed that people desiring college education for their children should pay for it. He was in favor of increasing the fees at Victoria College, and also the night school charges. For the latter he advocated extension of the system, and was in favor of enlarging technical classes of the program. He would support the findings of the survey made some time ago.

KEEP ON TRYING

Mr. P. E. George said it was becoming customary for him to turn up as a candidate for the School Board "like a bad penny." If you don't succeed at first, try again, he said. He had been brought in touch with problems of education and child life through his six children. Actively interested in school work, he had served as president and executive member of a parent-teacher organization and believed the association was a necessity in our educational system. Mr. George expressed himself as being in favor of less expensive textbooks, a uniform dress for high school girls, an up-to-date curriculum consistent with economy, and in favor of any movement to advance education.

COUNCIL RAISES FIREMEN'S WAGES

On Recommendation, Members of Esquimalt Fire Department Will Receive Increase

On the recommendation of the fire and light committee, Messrs. F. Pick and J. Harper, members of the Esquimalt Fire Department, will receive an increase in salaries dating from December 1. This approval passed the Esquimalt Council last night after a debate that lasted for nearly an hour.

Councillor Albert Heald, chairman of the committee, brought up the matter in his report, urging that these two members be given an increase as they were being paid less than city firemen, and were required to be at their post morning, noon and night.

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Rugby Union Wants School Children as Guests on Saturday

Efforts, which are to be put forward by officials of the Victoria Rugby Union, are successful, thousands of school children under the age of fifteen years will witness the McKechnie Cup Rugby tussle here on Saturday as guests of the Union. At a meeting of the Union last night, Captain Coventry was delegated to see the Royal Athletic Park committee and request that school children be admitted free at this fixture.

kindergarten classes inaugurated, and was against the teaching of militarism in any form in the schools of the city. School buildings should be made community centres, where, after hours and in the evenings, literary societies and other organizations might be permitted to meet. If elected, he would work as hard as he had in the past.

ALL IMPORTANT ISSUES

Mr. Kenneth Ferguson stated he had no previous experience in school work, but had more than a passing interest in the schools of the city. He had been instrumental in getting the Canadian Club into the city, and for the past ten years had visited schools in connection with the prizes for Canadian history donated by the club. If personal interest were an asset, efficient economical administration wanted, Mr. Ferguson considered that he could conscientiously ask for the votes of those present, for they were all important, in his opinion.

INDIVIDUAL ATTENTION

The duties of a trustee were more or less clearly defined, stated Mr. Thomas Humphries. There was not much left to the discretion of the person elected. He was opposed to many interruptions with the work of the teaching staff of the schools, and for the past ten years should be given more individual attention. Thirty-five pupils should be the maximum number for any teacher. The greatest assets of the state were its children, and it was poor policy to economize where education was concerned. The girls and the boys of the city should be equipped in the best possible way to take their future places in business and industry.

HOME AND SCHOOL

Captain F. R. Wright considered that his thirty-five years of engineering experience on works of considerable magnitude should qualify him for a position on the School Board. He had studied the system of teaching throughout the province because he was vitally interested in the education of his own children. Being associated with school teaching for twenty-five years also gave him an insight into educational matters. He believed in close co-operation between home and school, and congratulated the P.T.A. on doing things in a thorough manner. The evils of drink should be taught in the schools, and the reading of the Bible made a part of the daily programme. He would support the findings of the survey made some time ago.

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City & District

V.W. Brotherhood—A meeting of the Victoria V.W. Brotherhood will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in Stanley Hall. Candidates standing for civic office at the forthcoming election are invited to attend and address the meeting.

Shipping Figures—Shipping handled at the port of Victoria during November totaled 498,653 tons, according to figures furnished by the Department of National Revenue. Inbound tonnage totaled 236,145 tons with 262,508 tons outbound.

Gosnell Siding—Announcement is made by the Canadian National Railways that it has named a siding at Mile 102.9, Alberta sub-division, after Mr. R. E. Gosnell, of Ottawa. The selection is made in recognition of Mr. Gosnell's work as a historian and journalist. Mr. Gosnell left Victoria for Ottawa several years ago.

Aged Men's Home—The following donations for the month of November were received at the Home for Aged and Infirm Men: Reading matter, Mrs. Thornton, Mrs. M. R. Pearce, Mrs. J. Strang, Miss Green and Mr. Crowhurst; playing cards, L. Nott; tickets to Victoria Athletic Club boxing tournament, per J. North; clothing, Mrs. J. Strang.

Ceremony Today—The general public is invited to attend the ceremony of the laying of the cornerstone of the new Boy Scouts' headquarters building, at 1008 Johnson Street, which will take place this morning at 11:30 o'clock, under the joint auspices of the Boy Scouts' association and the Kiwanis Club, with Hon. B. Bruce, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, officiating.

Candidate in Ward Four, Saanich—Mr. William R. Woods, cashier for the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, residing on Glenford Avenue, Ward Four, Saanich, announces that he will be a candidate for the municipal council at the forthcoming election, being requested to stand by a large number of ratepayers. Mr. Woods has resided in Saanich since 1913, with the exception of three years, when he was on service overseas.

Ward Six Conservative Association, Saanich, will hold its regular meeting at Spioner's tea rooms tonight at 8 o'clock. The routine business will be followed by cards. New members will be enrolled.

A community social, with cards, will be held under the auspices of the Women's Institute in Mechnosin Hall this evening. All are invited, no charge being made.

What we think about life will depend upon what we believe.—Dean of Peterborough.

Announcements

St. Andrew's Cathedral Bazaar—"Tombola Prizes." Winning Numbers: 1st, 2317; 2nd, 4511; 3rd, 4864; 4th, 3481; 5th, 1902; 6th, 7884; 7th, 8643; 8th, 5090; 10th, 1434; 11th, 657; 12th, 3725; 13th, 3185; 14th, 2873; 15th, 5811; 16th, 2917; 17th, 6835; 18th, 3502; 19th, 5708; 20th, 7228.

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Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson will give a lecture in the auditorium of the Victoria Public Market, Wednesday, December 4, subject being "Perpetuations of a Parson." No admission will be charged, but collection taken.

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CITIES GIVEN FIRST HOPES OF RAINFALLS

Expectations Now Held Out to Vancouver, Seattle and Tacoma for End of Present Dry Spell

MORE BELOW ZERO WEATHER IN EAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Promises that the protracted dry spell on the Pacific Coast was at an end, was held forth here today by District Forester M. B. Summers, who predicted probable rain tonight or tomorrow in Northwestern California, and in Western Oregon and Washington.

SEATTLE HEARS, TOO

SEATTLE, Dec. 2.—First hope for rain in many days came to Seattle today with the United States Weather Bureau report that unsettled weather, with probable light rains, was the forecast for tonight and tomorrow in the Puget Sound area.

The report, which came as the sun broke through clouds which have been hanging low for more than a week over the district, said that disturbances off the Oregon, Washington and British Columbia coasts were expected to cause precipitation in this district during the next twenty-four hours.

MORE COLD BLASTS

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—A new zero today spread over the Mississippi Valley, already glazed with ice and choked with snow; but in its wake came a promise of rising temperatures.

Temperatures generally were higher than Sunday's austere readings, but were still considerably below normal. The coldest spot in the area was Devils Lake, N.D., with a reading of 14 below, but the plains of Western Canada, North Dakota and Wyoming were nearly as cold.

SNOW COVERS MOUNTAINS

Snow covered most of the district between the Rocky Mountains and the Appalachians. In many places roads were blocked and rail service delayed. Ten inches of snow fell in Galesburg, Illinois. Air mail and train schedules out of here, however, were little hampered, except eastward. Eastbound planes were kept to the ground.

DEVELOPED IN CANADA

The latest wave developed in Western Canada, and was swept by stiff northeast winds over a wide area. The eastern and central portions of the Upper Great Lakes region were to get a brunt of the cold, but tomorrow morning, Government forecasts said, would see rising temperatures to the westward in the northern great plains area.

MORE LIVES LOST

The captain and four members of the crew of the steamer Kiona, which sank in Lake Superior, lost their lives.

One man was burned to death here, while getting warm at a salarman.

Police stations and charitable agencies were swamped with urgent pleas for coal, food and warm clothing. Crowds of homeless filled police stations to capacity, seeking shelter.

UNDER THE CLOCK

The City Council last night adopted a resolution moved by Alderman W. H. Gullin, seconded by Alderman William T. Straith, that the council's special committee on the question of an auditorium for Victoria be authorized to co-operate with like committees from public bodies, with a view to the erection of an auditorium, or other suitable accommodation in the city of Victoria, and to report thereon from time to time to the council.

Mr. A. G. Robertson, market superintendent, informed the council that the receipts for the inside section of the Victoria Public Market during the past month totaled \$746.60, as compared with \$596.60 of November last year, an increase in November, 1928, of \$150. The receipts of the outside section of the market last month were \$104.88.

The council adopted Fire Chief Vernon W. Stewart's recommendation that Messrs. William Wiggs and John Andrew Easton, who have served three months' probation in the city fire department, and have given satisfaction in their work, be confirmed as members of the fire department.

The city engineer was authorized to proceed with the construction of a surface drain on Shelbourne Street, between Denman and Bay Streets, with a view to making this section of Memorial Avenue ready for seeding and beautifying. The estimated cost of the work is \$900.

A building permit was issued by the city building department to Mr. H. B. Olson for construction of a maple floor for a roller skating rink at 755 Johnson Street, the project to cost \$3,000. Parfitt Bros. are the contractors.

EAGLES' AUXILIARY NO. 12 ENTERTAINS

At the close of the business session of the Ladies' Auxiliary, F.O.E. No. 12, tonight, the anniversary social and concert will take place, to which the members and friends of Victoria No. 12 are cordially invited. The concert will begin at 9 p.m. Committees have been appointed for a joint Christmas tree for members' children to be held between Christmas and the New Year. Details will be announced later. Bandmaster F. Casway and his prize-winning drum corps are attending the social, and a good programme of local talent will be presented.



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Women's Clubs and Societies

Knox L.A. Society.
The annual Christmas sale of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Knox Presbyterian Church was held on Friday evening, with success, although, owing to the foggy weather, the attendance was not as large as usual. Those in charge of the stalls were as follows: Home cooking and candy, Miss A. Milne and Mrs. F. Norton; hand-made art needlework, Mesdames E. Milne, J. Muford and Mrs. A. Kohout. The fish pond, which created amusement for the children, was in charge of Miss Nellie Richardson. Although selling was not as brisk as usual, a substantial sum was realized. During the evening an interesting ceremony was performed by Mr. E. Milne, an old and esteemed member and pillar of the church since 1898. A mortgage of \$800 was incurred some nine years ago, through the building of a manse, which has now been cleared chiefly through the efforts of the Ladies' Aid. The mortgage papers, lighted by Mr. Milne, were consumed amidst loud applause from those present.

Tea Postponed.
A bridge tea, which was to have been held this week at the home of Mrs. F. J. Boughton by the Valentine Harvey-Besant-Boggs Chapter, I.O.E., has been postponed until next month.

Jubilee Hospital W.A.
The sewing meeting of the Jubilee Hospital W.A. will be held tomorrow in the Nurses' Home, at 2 o'clock.

Porter Chapter, I.O.E.E.

The Saltair members of the Porter Chapter, I.O.E.E., were hostesses at a most delightful court whist drive held in the Oyster schoolhouse on Friday evening. There were sixteen tables in play, the prize winners being: Ladies' first, Mrs. A. Richards, of Westholm; second, Mrs. Phillips, of Chemainus; consolation, Mrs. Richards, of Westholm; gentlemen's first, Mr. T. R. Porter; second, Mr. Schofield; consolation, Mr. Christopher Southin. Supper was served at the conclusion of the game, after which dancing was continued until an early hour. Mr. Dumont kindly providing the music. Amongst those present were noticed the following: Mr. and Mrs. F. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. A. Porter, Mr. L. G. Hull, Mrs. D. Bonde, Mrs. Haver, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Moore, Mrs. Russell Robinson, Mrs. O. C. Stevens, Mrs. Peeler, Mr. Percy Peeler, Mrs. Thicke, Mrs. Syme, Mrs. Wylie, Mrs. Wylie, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Southin, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Read, Mrs. E. G. Moore, Mr. Robinson, Mrs. Rumble, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Read, Mrs. C. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. A. Richards, Misses Eva and Pearl Richards, Miss Bains, Mr. Kenyon, Mr. Keith Richards, Mr. Arnold Bonde, Mr. Terry English, Mr. and Mrs. Schofield, Mrs. E. R. Hallberg, Mrs. H. R. S. Lyle, and Mrs. Brawn, and many others. The proceeds for the evening amounted to over \$31.

St. John's Guild

The monthly meeting of St. John's Guild was held in the guild room on Monday afternoon, Mrs. J. N. Forde presiding. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were received and adopted. The secretary stated that the Oldie Fashioned Fair, under the auspices of all the church organizations, would be formally opened by Mrs. D. R. Ker tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

St. Mark's Guild, Qualicum

The members of St. Mark's Guild, Qualicum Beach, held a most successful sale of work in the church room on Saturday afternoon, there being a very good attendance and the church members were very gratified with the amount realized, being over \$90. Mrs. C. Davidson and Miss H. Jarvis were in charge of the stall well laden with fancy-work, handkerchiefs, hand-knitted garments and other useful gifts. Mrs. J. Burgess was in charge of the china and novelties stall; Mrs. C. Bailey and Mrs. F. Lang, home-cooking stall. All did well. Miss Josie Hodgson and Miss Ruth Bailey, who had made and collected for a candy table, were soon sold out. Mrs. W. Thrall donated a Christmas cake, the weight of which Mrs. H. Douglas and Miss C. Bartholomew guessed correctly, and they divided the cake. The tea was served by Mrs. W. Thrall, Mrs. McTaggart, Mrs. G. Aldous and Miss Janey Robertson.

Current Events Club

The Current Events Club held its annual meeting on Friday night at the Y.W.C.A. with a good attendance. Mrs. McKenzie led an interesting discussion on the events of importance which had taken place during the past week. Miss Ada Travis, in an original, instructive and educational manner, outlined the plans of the great St. Lawrence waterways, and showed the importance of this mammoth project and its practical value to the world at large. When there will be an address given on the Chinese situation.

Lady Douglas Chapter

The monthly meeting of the Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.E.E., will be held on Thursday at Municipal Chapter headquarters, 401 Union Building, at 2:30 p.m.

Get-Together Circle

The Get-Together Circle of the Duncan United Church W.A. was the guest of Mrs. Percy Dobson, Drinkwater Road, on Friday. The afternoon was spent in making fancy candy baskets for the stall in charge of Mrs. John Baker and Mrs. May Tanson in the sale of work to be held here. Mrs. James Highsted also arranged for the home-cooking stall. Mrs. Harry Clark and Mrs. William Hargis assisted her. Mrs. Dobson served tea.

Duncan W.M.S.

The thank offering meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church, Duncan, was presided over by the president, Mrs. Robert Mann. A vocal solo by Miss Edith Hood was followed by an illustrated talk by Mrs. W. R. Welch, of Nanaimo, on Africa. Having spent some years in Africa in mission work Mrs. Welch had many interesting personal experiences to relate. Mr. Ephraim Burkholder kindly operated the lantern.

Friendly Help

The monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association will be held this morning at 10:30 o'clock in the rooms, upstairs, in the Market Building, Cormorant Street. All members are earnestly requested to be present as there is important business to be attended to, and plans for the Christmas work are to be made.

Ladies' Aid

The December meeting of Hollywood Sunday School Ladies' Aid will be held by the courtesy of Mrs. N. O. Hough, at her home, 1635 Pinewood Avenue, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The principal business will be arranging for the Sunday-school Christmas treat. A full attendance of members is requested.

Wedding Takes Place in Shanghai

Many Victoria friends of Miss Annie Miller will be interested in the following account of her wedding, which took place in Shanghai, China, on Thursday, October 24 and is described in The Shanghai Times as follows:

"One of the most interesting weddings of recent weeks took place yesterday afternoon at Holy Trinity Cathedral, when Miss Annie Miller, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Finley Miller, of Hong Kong, became the wife of Mr. Alexander Kenneth Mackenzie, younger son of the late Mr. Alexander Mackenzie, of Hong Kong, and Mrs. Mackenzie. Miss Miller is a recent arrival in Shanghai from Victoria, British Columbia, while Mr. Mackenzie is connected with Messrs. Reiss, Massey & Co. Company, Limited.

The bride chose Miss Nanshi Pugh as her attendant, while Miss Kitty Ross and Miss Joan Ross served as flower girls. Mr. William W. Mackenzie was his brother's best man, and the ushers were Mr. H. R. Cleland and Mr. John Henry Dean. The bride read the service, while Mr. R. G. Young was at the organ. Mr. G. H. Piery sang 'I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes to the Hills.'

Miss Miller was given away by her father. She wore a charming gown of French tulle, with an applied design of roses of silver and the same material. The bodice followed the fashionable long, straight lines, while scallops gave the skirt the uneven hemline. The gown had a court train. The bride's veil of embroidered Brussels net was held in place with a wreath of orange blossoms and white heather, while she carried a shower bouquet of white roses, orange blossoms and sweet peas.

"Her bridesmaid wore a powder blue chiffon frock, silver trimmed, with a coatee of the same material and matching hat. Her bouquet was of pink carnations. The flower girls were dressed in the same color, quaint period frocks of georgette and tulle, with baskets of pink carnations.

"Mrs. Miller chose a French blue ensemble of lace and georgette, with a blue velvet hat to match, while Mrs. Mackenzie wore silver lace over charmeuse, with a silver and mauve hat.

"A reception, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ross, followed the ceremony at Holy Trinity. Mr. P. W. Massey proposed the health of the couple.

"Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie are going to Japan on their honeymoon. As her going-away costume, Mrs. Mackenzie chose an ensemble of green moire, completed with a fur of stone marten, the gift of the groom.

School Bazaars Announced for Wednesday Next

Among the school bazaars announced for tomorrow in this neighborhood are: George Jay School, to be opened by Mrs. George Jay at 2:30 o'clock; Quadra Street School, at 3 p.m. (court whist drive in the evening); and Lamson Street School, afternoon and evening. There will be a ventriloquist entertainment and a crystal gazer at Lamson Street.

Chemainus Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis and their infant were visitors in Chemainus for the week-end, guests of Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wynne.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Howard were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howe.

Miss D. Lawson is the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. Heslop.

Mrs. J. C. Adam and Mrs. E. T. Koch entertained with six tables of bridge at the residence of Mrs. Koch, on Saturday afternoon. The prize winners were: First, Mrs. B. Watson; second, Mrs. Stuart; third, Mrs. J. Taylor; consolation, Mrs. Russell Robinson.

Bamberton Social

BAMBERTON, Dec. 2.—A most enjoyable military five hundred party was held in the clubhouse recently under the auspices of the Bamberton Recreation Club. Twelve tables were engaged in play, the two leading tables having twenty-four discs each. After the cut the prizes were awarded as follows: First, Mrs. Zellinsky, Mr. V. Tucker and Mr. R. Hughes; second, Mrs. R. Campbell, Mr. E. Andrews, Mr. G. Yardley and Mr. D. Frazer. Refreshments were served at the close of the game. The club will hold a dance on Friday evening, December 6. An excellent orchestra will be in attendance, and boats will leave from Tod Inlet for the benefit of dancers from Victoria and Saanich.

FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party was held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. G. Jones at the Harbor Apartments on November 25. The evening was spent in dancing, cards and games. During supper Mr. Horwood proposed a toast to the guests of honor, which was replied to by Mr. Jones, and Mr. Helgeson presented to Mr. and Mrs. Jones, on behalf of those present, a salad bowl and salt and pepper shakers of English pottery. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. A. Constant, Mr. and Mrs. F. Thornber, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dick, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Helgeson, Mr. and Mrs. P. Brownsey, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cairns, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Horwood, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wigham, Mr. and Mrs. R. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Acreman, Mesdames P. O'Leary, P. Gray, H. Page, P. Norton, T. Syrett and J. Forest.

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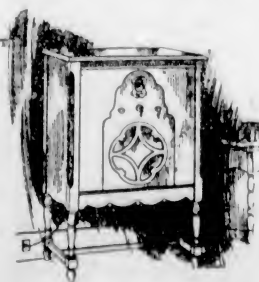
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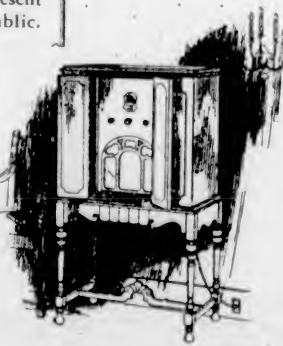
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Returns Home
Mrs. Noble Pirrie has returned from Tacoma, where she spent the Thanksgiving holiday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bakk-will.

Returns Home
Miss Peggy Brindley has returned from New York to spend the Christmas vacation with her mother, Mrs. James Shields, 1000 Newport Avenue.

From Vancouver
Mrs. W. F. Brougham arrived from Vancouver yesterday afternoon to visit Mrs. Selden Humphreys, Prospect Place.

Leave for South
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Marks are leaving today for Los Angeles, where they will spend several months.

From Mainland
Miss Bowron returned from Northern British Columbia yesterday afternoon.

Successful Bazaar

COBBLE HILL, Dec. 2.—The ladies of St. Mary's Church held a very successful bazaar on Saturday afternoon, in the refreshment room at Wilton Place, which had been kindly lent for the occasion by Mrs. H. MacKinnon. The stallholders were Mrs. W. Aldorf, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. L. A. Hammer, Mrs. Dunnell and Mrs. H. G. Grainger, while Miss Easton had charge of the tea arrangements. Valuable prizes of a seven-pound chicken and dolls in a cradle were won by Mrs. J. N. Hughes and Mrs. Aldorf respectively. A very satisfactory sum was realized.

Dance This Evening

The usual monthly dance under the auspices of the Hudson's Bay Employees' Association will be held tonight in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel. One of Victoria's most popular orchestras will provide the music and dancing will commence promptly at 9 o'clock. Cards of invitation may be secured through any member of the staff.

ENJOYABLE DANCE

A dance was held last Thursday evening for the staff and friends of the New Method Laundry, Limited, at the New Thought Hall, Port Street. Mr. J. Hartley was master of ceremonies. Misses Katie Walsh and Bess Burke gave a clever exhibition of step dancing.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont



The bolero is with us again! And it certainly does enhance the charm of the princess silhouette. The frock shown is of green suede finish fabric trimmed with narrow bands of ermine. The frock is cut on princess lines and is charmingly accented by the shirring on the left side, forming a dip which is also outlined in ermine. The skirt which dips slightly at the left side, is circular and conforms to the new length of four inches below the knees. A narrow tie of white satin holds the bolero together at the neck and gives an attractive touch to the ensemble. Worn with this costume is a hat of the same material, caught on the left side with a mother-of-pearl buckle.

Children of Orphanage Practise for Concert

The monthly meeting of the ladies' committee was held at the Protestant Orphanage yesterday. The president, Mrs. Walker, presided, and the following members were present: Mesdames Longstaff, E. M. Brown, Hughes, Simpson, Shepherd, Dorman, McKeown, Dillabough, Edwards, Grimison, Cox, Raper, Calvert and Dismore.

The thirty-nine children were left the home during the month. The bathroom clothes closets had been brightened with new kalsomine and paint which was a great improvement.

The children had been well entertained. Mr. Patrick treated them to the ice carnival, the Pacific Transfer supplying the transportation. The Hudson's Bay Company sent thirty-eight tickets for entrance to the Coliseum, where they met Santa Claus.

The children were busy practicing for the annual Christmas concert, to be held Friday, December 27. Visiting ladies for December are Mrs. F. Elliott and Mrs. F. C. Dillabough.

Donations were received as follows: Government House, two boxes of apples; Mrs. E. Heddle, clothing; Mrs. F. C. Dillabough, magazines; Mr. R. W. Chapman, sack of apples; a friend, box of pears; Mr. F. Landsberg, six quarts of jam; Oak Bay United Church Primary Department, fruit; Captain Gould, two sacks of apples; George Road Presbyterian Church, fruit and vegetables; Mrs. Curtis, books; Macdonald Lodge, cake and sandwiches; Mrs. Adams, two salmon; Miss Mary Spencer, table and three chairs; Suggs's Memorial Church, fruit and vegetables; Royal Black Knights No. 538, cake and sandwiches; Mrs. J. W. Spencer, \$25 in cash; Dr. Bryant, Dr. Gibbon, The Colonial Times, Mrs. Hubert Brown, two salmon; Mrs. E. F. Lang, California, \$25; Mrs. Strangman, \$10; proceeds of children's bazaar, Vera, Constance, Lona and Helen, \$1.

Port Alberni Socials

Mrs. R. A. Redman entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid of the First United Church on Wednesday afternoon. Among the present were: Mesdames J. B. Wood, H. P. Strain, C. A. MacFay, F. Bacon, S. Meardon, A. Turner, M. Proctor, A. MacDonaid, R. R. Griffith, C. E. Manning, W. Dey, Dore, A. Thomas, Kermack, D. Kelly, C. A. Ewing, W. E. Evans, Phil Kendall and J. Piggott.

In compliment to Mrs. J. M. J. Mowat, formerly of Kamloops, who has recently taken up her residence at Port Alberni, Mrs. C. A. Ewing, who is visiting from Quebec, Mrs. J. L. Dunn entertained last week with four tables of bridge. Her guests included Mesdames J. A. MacMillan, F. H. Swayne, D. H. Kelly, Fred Weaver, Dawson Turner, C. T. Hilton, A. W. West, C. A. Cook, G. A. Ewing, Mowat, S. Carter, W. Ransom, K. Campbell, J. B. Wood and Misses Helen Doble and Freda and Betty Hilton.

Mrs. C. T. Hilton entertained recently at a small bridge party. Her guests included Mrs. H. A. Crowe, Mrs. C. R. Martin, Misses Alice Rolf, Helen Doble, E. Wood, Grierson, Probert, Plummer, Whitworth, Helen Macdonald and C. Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pauline, of Vancouver, were recent visitors to Port Alberni.

Captain and Mrs. Groves, of Westholme, have been registered at the Somass Hotel.

Mr. Roy Hill entertained on Saturday evening in honor of Mr. Jack Jago, who is leaving for Vancouver shortly, where his marriage will take place.

Nanaimo Personals

Mr. Billy Dove, of the First National Frolics, Mr. F. O'Malley, of Fox Productions, were among the visitors to Nanaimo recently.

Mr. and Mrs. James Doran, of Vancouver, are visiting Mrs. J. R. McKenzie, Kennedy Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McMillan and Mrs. J. Z. Millar and family are spending two weeks' holiday with relatives in New Westminster.

Sergt. Bert Stephenson, of Revelstoke, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stephenson, Departure Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fiddick, of the Five Acres, accompanied by Mr. Fiddick's sister, Mrs. Decker, of Vancouver, have returned from several weeks' visit to California. The trip was made by motor.

Mrs. Thomas Smith, Victoria Road, has left for Vancouver on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Wallace, of Vancouver.

Mr. S. Carter, Creagh and H. Martin spent the week-end in Vancouver.

Mr. Bert Bailey, of Victoria, was a visitor in Nanaimo over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mitchell, of Saanich, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Metral, South Wellington.

Mr. Edward Reifel, of New Westminster, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Con Reifel, Dunsmuir Street.

Miss Lohley, of the Hudson's Bay Co., Vancouver, has left for home after spending a few days' holiday in Nanaimo.

Among the passengers leaving on the late boat for Vancouver were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rock, Milton Street; Mrs. Dr. Ingham, Newcastle Townsite, and Miss Mary Pinton.

For the buyer a hundred eyes are too few, for the seller one is enough. Italian proverb.

St. Paul's Church Scene Of Wedding

At St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Esquimalt, the marriage took place last evening of Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Collis, Dunsmuir Road, Esquimalt, and Mr. Harold Edgar Harris, of Shanghai, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harris, of Golders Green, London, England. Rev. F. C. Chapman officiated in the presence of many friends of the bride and groom. The church was arranged with beautiful baskets of chrysanthemums and fern by Mrs. Neville Smith, while Madonna lilies and lighted candles adorned the altar.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride looked beautiful in her wedding gown of ivory chiffon velvet, fashioned on long graceful lines, the skirt hanging to ankle length at the sides and slightly shorter at the front and back. A narrow giraffe of lovely old French embroidery marked the waistline and was the only trimming. Her veil of embroidered Chinese net was arranged with a circle of orange blossoms and hung in filmy folds over her gown. A sheaf of Madonna lilies completed her charming toilette. Her only ornament was a platinum and diamond wrist watch, the gift of the groom.

Miss Elsie Taylor was bridesmaid and looked very charming in a sleeveless picture frock of soft green chiffon velvet, made with the fashionable uneven hemline and her hat was of matching green felt trimmed with a band of gold ribbon which also formed a bow at one side. Her bouquet was of golden chrysanthemums. Mr. Edgar Woods was best man and the ushers were Messrs. Harry Desbarats and John Parnell.

During the service the hymn "Love Divine All Loves Excelling" was sung and Mr. E. Holloway played the wedding music.

A reception was held later at the home of the bride's parents, where the bride and groom received the good wishes of their friends standing in the drawing-room beneath a decorated arch. Mrs. Collis assisted in receiving and wore a becoming black gown and black face coat, with which she wore a hat of black velvet trimmed with touches of silver. Her corsage bouquet was of pink roses and fern. A three-tier wedding cake decorated the supper table, which was decorated with Ophelia rosebuds and maidenhair fern.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris left to spend their honeymoon up the Island, the bride traveling in a frock of old gold and groom and coat of cocoa brown charmeuse trimmed with black collar and cuffs of beaver. Her hat was a close-fitting model in shades of beige and brown. The bride and groom will sail on the Empress of Canada on December 7 for Shanghai, where they will make their future home.

Somenos Personals

Mr. Harry Hastings and Miss W. Hastings, of Tyne, are spending a few days in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baker, of Herd Road, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Medland, Shawinigan Lake.

Mrs. Dawson, of Vancouver, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Britton, Island Highway, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hargin and their daughter, Winnifred, motored to Victoria on Saturday.

Mrs. James Highted, of Herd Road, returned home after spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Rhodie, Keating.

Mr. Lawrence Henslowe, of Herd Road, has returned home after spending some months in Victoria.

Miss Kate Buckmaster, of Island Highway, is spending the week-end with Mrs. F. G. Gadsden, 1817 Quadra Street, Victoria.

Mr. J. R. Underwood, of Herd Road, was visiting his son, Mr. J. Underwood, for a few days in Chemainus.

Qualicum Socials

The Qualicum District Farmers' Institute held a military whist drive on Saturday in the Institute Hall, when there was a good attendance. At the winning table were Miss Josie Hodgson, Miss F. Benjamin and Messrs. J. Hill and Andrew Reid. Mr. and Mrs. P. Belyea and Mr. and Mrs. G. Morgan won the consolation prize. The highest scores were made by Miss C. McQuarrie and Mr. E. Stewart. Mrs. H. K. Harrison conducted the game.

Mr. A. Watson, of Nanaimo, has taken the beach house of Miss H. Jarvis for three months.

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM



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The recipients of the awards were: Grammar of music, Adelaide Alexander, Ellen Pearce, Doris Townsend, Mary Alexander, Harold Gonnason, Dena Pastore and Lillian Bright; pianoforte, Ellen Pearce, Dena Pastore and Lillian Bright. Mrs. Charles Banfield, who acted as chairman, presented the certificates and addressed the students. The following pupils took part in the programme of pianoforte solos and duets: Howard Painter, George Willmott, Ella Bacon, Melville Painter, Jean Pearce, Edith Vesey, Douglas Pearce, Jimmy Howe, Phyllis Goring, Pearl Winter, May Jamieson, Alex Painter, Ben Vesey.

Wilfred Somerville, Raney Hill, Harold Gonnason, Peggy Burrows, Dena Pastore, Doris Burrows, Richard Reeve, Ellen Pearce, Doris Elrick, Ethel Ramsey, and Gordon Scott. Others assisting in the programme included Ray Griffiths, who rendered two violin solos in a very pleasing manner, and Fred Hooper, who was heard to advantage in two songs.

On behalf of the pupils a beautiful souvenir of the occasion was presented to Miss Silk by Pearl Winter, and Phyllis Goring also presented to Miss Silk a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

A motorist driving through Ireland was struck by the numbers of notices in Irish which he saw in every village. "Tell me," he asked an old Irishman, "why do they have all these notices in this language?" "Begob," came the reply, "I'm sure I don't know myself. You see, none of the people who can read can understand Irish, and the ones who understand Irish can't read!"

The wife—Darling, I've got something I want to tell you about. The husband—Good. That's much better than telling me about something you haven't got.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK MCCOY

INJURIES FROM DUST

When a beam of sunlight falls from the window to the floor, one may see thousands of dust motes dancing in its golden light. We are surprised to realize that dust is always present in the air, and that we are breathing it in with every breath we draw. Fortunately, the amount of ordinary dust in the air is taken care of by traps which nature has laid for it in the air passages. The most important of these traps for dust is the mucous membrane. The sticky mucus attracts the dust. In much the same manner that flypaper does flies, but the dust is not allowed to accumulate because the entire mucous membrane is covered with small

hair-like cilia lining the trachea and bronchia, and these cilia literally sweep the dust particles up and out. They move in much the same manner as a field of grain waves when swept by the wind. When the dust and surplus mucus have been moved up high enough, they are coughed out of the body. When the dust particles are unusually plentiful, they may succeed in penetrating the lung tissues, but they then fall into another trap set by the white cells which are capable of destroying a remarkable amount of dust. The measures are able to protect their air spaces of the lungs from an everyday dust menace.

However, the lungs of those who live in sooty cities or those who work in an atmosphere of dust never entirely escape. While the normal lung tolerates dust to an amazing degree, it may succumb after years of exposure. The worst dust is silica, which can bring on disability in from three to nine years. Workers exposed to the heavy coal dust may escape from twenty to thirty years before a fibrosis of the lungs is brought on. The damage of silica is known as silicosis; and seems to be caused mechanically by the abrasion of the sharp particles on the lung tissues, causing scarring. Silica is the main cause of industrial tuberculosis, as the scarring of the delicate lung lining allows the tubercular infection to gain a foothold. The first symptom of silicosis is a shortness of breath followed by a mild cough and then great difficulty in breathing.

The zinc mines of Missouri and the South African gold mines produce large quantities of silica dust, as do also the flint, sandstone, granite and quartz quarries. There seems to be little danger of industrial tuberculosis among the coal miners if the coal dust is with silica. Dust from flour is also comparatively safe for breathing, although the vegetable dusts are thought to be more likely to cause bronchitis or pneumonia. Cotton dust and the dust that arises in the production of hardwood products from beech and boxwood are thought to contribute to tuberculosis of the lungs. Dust from tanning is not usually serious beyond headaches and a small amount of bronchial infection.

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Price, 5.95

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Price, 3.95

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Thompson's Seeded Raisins bulk, 2 lbs. for 25c

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"This student was one of a group which took a delight in discomfiting a nervous young professor. One day the professor's subject was archaeological discoveries and he asked his class:

"Can anybody give me an example of a commercial appliance that we know to have been used in ancient times?"

"Yes, sir, the loose-leaf system used in the Garden of Eden," the student replied.

"Hah! Hah!" laughed Mr. Grouch, "here's an account of a woman who says she didn't realize until after the wedding that she had married the wrong man!"

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At The Playhouses

MISS COSTELLO IS WELL PLACED

Ideal Role Played in "Hearts in Exile" at the Capitol Theatre

"Hearts in Exile," which opened at the Capitol Theatre last night, is an unusual story of love and political intrigue in Russia. The three central characters, Vera Ivanova played by Dolores Costello, the star, (Paul Pavloff (Grant Withers), and Baron Serge Palma (James Kirkwood) form a triangle that runs a dramatic course and reaches a startling climax.

Miss Costello has a splendid story here. It is ideally suited to her talents and appealing beauty. In the role of the Russian peasant girl who becomes a baroness she will arouse a new wave of enthusiasm among her many admirers. This picture establishes her firmly as the outstanding star of the talking pictures.

Grant Withers, James Kirkwood, George Fawcett and David Torrence do splendid work. Withers is without a doubt, the most promising leading man of filmdom. His voice is excellent.

The scenes of "Hearts in Exile" laid in Siberia and the slums of Moscow, are interesting and realistic, due to the capable direction of Michael Curtiz.

COLUMBIA Sally O'Neill is a famous member of a famous New Jersey family. That was her name before she entered pictures. Her father is Judge F. T. Noonan of the supreme court of New Jersey. Miss O'Neill enacts the title role in Universal's Special, "The Girl on the Barge," which is now showing at the Columbia Theatre. The other members of the cast are Malcolm MacGregor, Morris McIntosh, Nancy Kelly, George Offerman, Henry West and J. Francis Robertson.

PLAYHOUSE Last night marked the opening of Harry C. Willis and his musical comedy company, when it presented "A Slip of the Navy." This is a very clever play-let and is full of the fun and surprises, giving all the artists a

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen
Capitol—"Hearts in Exile," starring Dolores Costello.
Columbia—"The Girl on the Barge," starring Sally O'Neill.
Dominion—"The Return of Sherlock Holmes," featuring Clive Brook.

On the Stage
Coliseum—Vaudeville and Stock Company.
Playhouse—Harry C. Willis and his Musical Comedy Company present "A Slip of the Navy."
Royal—The Stratford-Upon-Avon Festival Company.

chance to distinguish themselves. Judging by the receipts received, they should prove to be popular favorites of the Playhouse Theatre. Also, on the same bill, is "The Prince of Tempers," a sumptuous production, reputed to be First National's best picture of the season. Ben Lyon, Lois Moran, Lya de Putti, Sam Hardy, Olive Tell and Mary Brian head the cast.

COMEDY-DRAMA WELL RECEIVED

"Romance in Virginia" Is Offered by Players at Coliseum to Appreciative House

The Coliseum Players under the direction of Raymond "Toby" Lettich were seen at the Coliseum Theatre last night in their first four-act play since coming to Victoria. A comedy-drama entitled "Romance in Virginia." They were assisted by Charlie Hunt and his ten-piece orchestra, who gave a programme of the latest and snuggest dance numbers from New York and London.

A capacity first-night house attended the performance last night and applauded the players and the orchestra to the echo. There is no doubt that the new entertainment programme will be most popular with Coliseum patrons.

In vaudeville turns the individual members of the stock company are exceptionally clever. It seems hardly possible that one minute they are engaged in the plot of an interesting play and almost the next are seen before the curtain in some light, comical act. All the members of the company appear in vaudeville between the acts of the play and proved extremely popular at the opening last night.

The play is an interesting one and gives the players their first opportunity in Victoria to appear in a really full length production. In the past they have been forced considerably to cut their time. As the title suggests, the local of the show is in the Southern States, and all the colorful and delightful scenes of those parts are brought well to the fore.

Old Bachelor—I feel such a hypocrite. Just come from a wedding reception where I had to congratulate the bride and the groom.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

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Poppies Made Here Were Only Ones of Good Quality

Canadian Legion Convention Decides to Secure More Artificial Flowers Like Those Made in the Red Cross Workshop in Victoria

No place in Canada equaled in quality the work turned out by the Victoria Red Cross Workshop. This fact was revealed when the Poppy Day Committee, appointed by the Canadian Legion, in convention at Regina, sat to hear evidence regarding the manufacture and distribution of poppies in connection with the recent Armistice Day anniversary.

With the exception of British Columbia, every province complained of faulty workmanship. Pins and petals fell apart in thousands, and groups of ladies had to be hastily called in to reassemble the poppies so that they could be made saleable.

Toronto and Montreal delegates declared that the situation on Poppy Day was chaotic, and all parts of Canada were insisting that better work be effected in future.

GOOD WORKMANSHIP
The voice of British Columbia's member of the committee was the only one raised in praise of the workmanship of disabled veterans in the manufacture of poppies and wreaths. And he was able to inform the committee that his close personal connection with the campaign in Victoria justified the statement that the work done there, for the whole of the province, was excellent in every respect, and that he did not see a single example of faulty workmanship.

The complaints were brought to the attention of the Department of Pensions and National Health in order that steps might be taken to train veterans in other parts of Canada so that they might reach the same high state of efficiency.

set by the men in the Victoria Red Cross Workshop.

The committee expressed its pleasure at the growing increase of the use of poppies at Armistice. In 1928, branches of the legion paid \$33,000 for poppies, and in 1929 the amount exceeded \$33,500.

A tribute was paid to Her Excellency Viscountess Willingdon, patroness in chief of the Poppy Day campaign, for the personal interest which she has taken in the work.

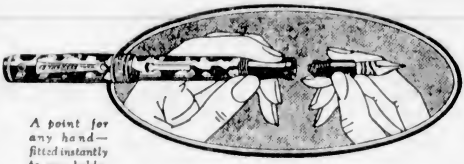
Criticism of action by the Canadian National Institute of the Blind in synchronizing an appeal during Armistice observance was voiced by another nonveteran organization in Toronto was quoted in support of the committee's appeal for preservation of the sacred significance of the Armistice period.

The veterans of Canada were insistent that any future effort by any organization to raise funds for any purpose other than veterans' needs at that time be opposed by the full force of the Canadian Legion, and the national command was instructed to take strong action should the occasion warrant.

A portly woman of very elusive beauty was addressing a meeting on temperance reform.

"My friends," she said, "I had a husband who was addicted to the bottle. He was a great trial to me, but one day I persuaded him to take the pledge. He did so, and my joy was so great, so overwhelming, that I flung my arms around his neck and kissed him."

"And serve 'im jolly well right!" added a voice from the crowd.



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LIBRARY HAS GREAT PLACE IN EDUCATION

President of Carnegie Corporation Is Tendered Banquet on Arrival From Japanese Gathering

IS SEQUEL TO LIBRARY SURVEY

"The world is only at the beginning of a realization of the meaning of library service," said Dr. Frederick P. Keppel, president of the Carnegie Corporation, in the course of one of the significant paragraphs of the address which he gave at the Empress Hotel last evening during a dinner arranged in his honor by the Board of Trustees of the Victoria Public Library.

"A great and growing interest in adult education, continuing education, is taking place. It is not a passing fad, but is part of our civilization's consciousness. It has been demonstrated that if we do not go on learning it is not because we cannot. We no longer accept the attitude that we cannot go on, for we have been demonstrated by distinguished psychologists that this is not true," Dr. Keppel continued.

He touched on the discoveries of psychologists affecting the "optimum time of learning." This had been set between twenty-two and twenty-four years of age. The average individual, with normal mental and physical aptitudes, dropped off in his learning capacity only about 1 per cent per year after this optimum period, which signified that at forty-five one's learning powers were 80 per cent as good as at twenty-five, a diminishment somewhat compensated for by the greater experience and greater powers of application. The whole question of continuing education was based on a new educational outlook, and the changing attitude of the public mind there was a greater demand for facilities for continuing education.

RELATION TO EDUCATION

"One of the great instruments that adult education must count upon is the library," Dr. Keppel said.

Dr. Keppel, who is president of the Carnegie Corporation, was in Victoria on his way back to Washington. He spent part of yesterday in conference with members of the Provincial Government on the subject of putting into operation in British Columbia the county system of libraries as recommended by the

library survey commissioners in their report a year ago. He and other speakers during the evening only very briefly alluded to these discussions, although the imperative need of such a system and the advantages to be derived from the establishment of such were more broadly sketched.

THE SPEAKERS

The first speaker was Hon. R. Bruce, Lieutenant-Governor, who recalled some of Dr. Keppel's achievements as dean of the undergraduate school of Columbia University, under-secretary of state for war at Washington, United States commissioner of the International Chamber of Commerce and similar responsible offices. On behalf of the Province of British Columbia His Honor extended a very cordial welcome to Dr. and Mrs. Keppel.

Mayor Anscombe extended the city's greetings to their distinguished guests, expressing a sense of the public's indebtedness to the late Mr. Andrew Carnegie for the library which had been of such inestimable value to the reading public here.

Rev. Robert Connell, chairman of the Victoria Library Board, presided, and asked Dr. N. F. Black, as former head of the Library Survey Commission for the province, to introduce Dr. Keppel.

"International thinking is going to have to concern itself with international relations on the Pacific coast," Dr. Keppel said, after his brief introductory remarks, during which he recalled visiting Victoria over thirty years ago and experiencing the same kind of kindness at the hands of the citizens as one of the unfortunate victims of a shipwreck which took place at Dixon Entrance.

He conceded to be an isolated town with an isolated future. No one would think that today, for it was an important member of the group of cities which lay nearest the Orient.

CARNEGIE CORPORATION AIM

"Today we realize, too, that matters of culture, matters of civilization, are more than commercial relations. In fact, the very underlying basis of human relations are largely cultural rather than commercial. And for that reason any cultural training has a great significance at present, and will have a greater significance as years go on. For that reason the Carnegie Corporation was able to have an opportunity to enter into this problem," continued Dr. Keppel in approaching the matters brought up by the British Columbia Library Survey and the proposed establishment of the county system, which operates in the British Isles and some parts of the United States. Mr. Carnegie during his lifetime set up a library demonstration which had cost well over fifty millions. He knew that every community needed a library, housed in a suitable building. But the indefinite continuance of this demonstration would not have been justified after the cities had found the great advantages of library service. Today the public library, and the library profession, was an honored institution, and the responsibility for the library was more and more a matter for the community at large.

Dr. Keppel noted the great additions that had been made in library service in British Columbia during the past ten years. The development of the county library system was touched upon. He also spoke of what was being done in Australia. The Carnegie Corporation was deeply interested in adult education.

"It is the only kind of education

Andrew Carnegie had himself after left school at the age of thirteen. But he did a mass of good all-round education, a scholar in more than one field. He depended immensely on the library," recalled Dr. Keppel, who drew from the audience the impression that anything that could be done for the betterment of continuing educational facilities would be carrying on in Carnegie's Trust its most effective sense, true to the founder's objects.

Though little by little the original outline of the corporation had broadened out, it would never be possible to get away from the library as the core and centre of anything to be done for education in its broader sense.

WELCOME OPPORTUNITY

"We are particularly glad to have been able to consult with and work with the Province of British Columbia, not only for the sake of the benefits which may accrue locally, but for what may be learned through the demonstration which will be given through the educational centres such as you contemplate establishing," said Dr. Keppel. The Carnegie Corporation would watch the enterprise with an almost proprietary interest. The result of a similar enterprise in Louisiana, which had proved successful, was that two neighboring states had undertaken, on their own finances, the building up of a county and rural library scheme. In England the experiment had been very successful, and Dr. Keppel said that the experiment would be carried forward with distinguished success in British Columbia.

Hon. J. Hinchliffe, Minister of Education, moved the vote of thanks to Dr. Keppel, with a mild reservation because of the implication of added expense to the Government which he found in the proposal. But the spirit of culture, the desire for education, was developing among the people here, particularly in the rural parts of the province. Miss A. P. Jamieson, of Vancouver, seconded the vote of thanks as a lay representative, and Mr. John Hosie, thanked Rev. Robert Connell, Miss Margaret Clay and the Victoria Library Board for their part as hosts.

THE EXTENSION PLAN

Dr. Black last evening explained in fuller detail the operation of the library extension plan by which it is hoped, with the co-operation of the Government of British Columbia, to carry the cultural influence of books to the remotest parts of the province.

As a result of the survey, which was rendered possible by the Carnegie Corporation and initiated by the Library Commission on the basis of a small grant from the Government, five major projects, Dr. Black stated, had been worked out in some detail. These, which had an important bearing on a complete library service for British Columbia, had been incorporated in the final report of the survey handed to the Government early in November, 1928.

The Carnegie Corporation had extended the offer of its financial support for two of these major projects, first for the extension of the staff and library facilities at headquarters; second, for the provision of an object lesson in co-operative library administration conducted over a large rural or semirural area.

For the purposes of this major demonstration the Library Commission would select a suitable section of British Columbia, either the southern portion of Vancouver Island, the Lower Fraser Valley or the Okanagan District. In one or other of these communities the library service, modeled on the county library system of the British Isles, would be instituted, and a mail aided by the Carnegie Corporation for a period of five years.

Approximately forty community branches, according to the present plan, would be established. School branches also would be set up in all the schools within the boundaries of the library district, where the demonstration was being made. All library activities would be under the supervision of a trained librarian, and as assistant, if some member of the staff would be continuously circulating among the branches assisting the local custodians.

DOUBT CLAIM OF COMMANDER BYRD

Norwegian Explorer Declares Whole Expedition Seems to Be a "Speculation in Sensations"

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The Mail today says that the accuracy of the report of Commander Richard E. Byrd, regarding his South Polar flight has been challenged by Major Trygve Gran, Norwegian almanac and explorer, who was a member of the Scott Antarctic expedition.

A dispatch from Copenhagen cites a statement of Major Gran made to The Ekstradeler in which he said: "I am not justified in saying Commander Byrd did not pass over the Pole, but the whole expedition appears to be a speculation in sensations."

He stated that the report of the American aviator did not inspire confidence, and in particular he doubted the statement that Commander Byrd saw the cairns of Scott and Amundsen. Major Gran said: "In my opinion it would be nothing short of a miracle if the cairns were so well preserved that they were visible from the air against the white snow plain."

The terrible mountains which Commander Byrd describes are, according to Major Gran, a "fantasy." He said his own experience and that of Amundsen, discoverer of South Pole, as revealed in discussion with himself about the character of the landscape show that there are no mountains.

"When we returned from Scott's expedition we agreed the trip might be made with a motorcycle, the land being on the whole a plain except for crevasses and ravines."

Gene Not Interested

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Gene Tunney has wired official of the New York Coliseum that he was "afraid he was not interested" in its proposition for him to act as president of the organization. It is promised to confer with the officials upon his arrival in the United States. The retired heavyweight champion is on the high seas with Mrs. Polly Lauder Tunney, returning from an extended visit to Europe.

CANADA NEARLY EQUALS RECORD

TRANSPACIFIC SPEED QUEEN ARRIVES FROM JAPAN AFTER FAST VOYAGE

Brings Light List of Passengers and Heavy Shipment of Japanese Oranges

Eight days and sixteen hours out of Yokohama, R.M.S. Empress of Canada, Commander Samuel Robinson, R.N.R., docked at Rithet piers at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon on her first eastward voyage from the Orient since being fitted with new engines. The Pacific speed queen's record from Japan to Victoria is eight days and ten hours, established in 1923 and never beaten.

Aboard the liner were 120 first class passengers, fifty-seven second, four third and 120 steerage. She carried for this port ninety tons of cargo, thirty-two bags of mail, fifteen for the mail plane and 433 bags for transshipment to Seattle. Vancouver cargo included 350 tons of raw silk and 240,000 boxes of Japanese oranges.

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Close Matches Seen in School Soccer League

Senior soccer teams from Boys' Central and Oaklands schools battled to a 2-2 score in a regular

league soccer game at Central Park yesterday afternoon. At the upper ground, George Jay eleven defeated Victoria West 1-0 in a bitterly contested match.

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♠ 8 2
♥ 9 7 6 3
♦ 5 4
♣ 6 5 3

♠ A Q 6 4 3
♥ A K J 10
♦ A Q 4
♣ 10 7

♠ K Q 5 4
♥ Q 9 7 4
♦ 10 8 2
♣ 10 8 2

Auction Bidding

1st Rd. 2nd Rd. 3rd Rd. 4th Rd.

South Pass Pass Pass Pass

West 2 3 N T 6 4

North Pass Pass Pass

East 3 4 4 Pass

Contract Bidding

1st Rd. 2nd Rd. 3rd Rd. 4th Rd.

South Pass Pass Pass Pass

West 2 3 N T 6 4

North Pass Pass Pass

East 3 4 4 Pass

Efficiency in the bidding of hands that contain several sound bids depends frequently upon selecting, as an introductory bid, the declaration that should prove the best step towards bidder's second choice. For example, West has a choice of several opening bids. If an experienced player, he will avoid an original No Trump with a singleton, even though Ace. This leaves him the choice between two No Trumps in suit bids, introductory to the ca. of his second suit, or of a No Trump, depending upon which is his second choice.

If his second suit, he should start, in Contract, with an introductory two Diamond bid. But if no trumps, he should start with an introductory two Spade bid. In the Duplicate Contract game in which this hand arose, there were several failures by East and West pairs to arrive at even a game bid. At two tables West bid two No Trumps originally and was left in by partner. At two other tables an original two Diamond bid was also left in. At no table did a West and East pair arrive at a slam contract.

SALENT POINTS OF THE BIDDING

Auction—South passing. West bids one Spade in preference to one No Trump, despite holding 100 Aces, concluding the bidding.

Contract—South passing. West bids two Spades originally to insure a second opportunity to bid. North passing, East with four Spades to the King-Jack, bids three Spades; his side strength insufficient to warrant a No Trump. South pass-



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LIONS AND ESKIMOS BATTLE OVERTIME TO DRAW

Fred Morrison Plays Sensational Golf to Lead Field in P.G.A.

Los Angeles Pro Tops Qualifiers by Four Strokes—Leo Diegel Second—Walter Hagen Just Manages to Get in Select Group

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 2.—Striking his way through the most brilliant competitive round ever hung up for the P.G.A. by Fred Morrison, tall Los Angeles pro, posted a 68 this afternoon for a total of 136 to capture a medal in the thirty-six-hole qualifying round of the 1929 Professional Golfers' Association championship. Off to a steady start in his first 18 with a par 71, Morrison cut loose with a dazzling brand of golf in the afternoon round that chopped six strokes off perfect figures for the course. Ten birdies and an eagle in the thirty-six holes brought the Midway Country Club entrant signal honors over one of the finest fields ever assembled for the big event.

Four strokes behind the leader came Leo Diegel, of Agua Caliente, Mexico, defending champion. Diegel covered the rolling golf layout in 71 in the morning, and trimmed that card by two strokes in the second round for a total of 140.

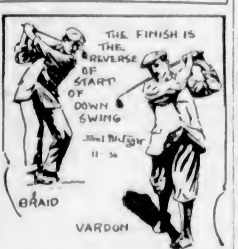
HAGEN MAKES GRADE
Walter Hagen, five times P.G.A. ruler, twice national open champion and present British open titleholder, barely worked his way into a tie for thirty-second place. His 146 enabled him to share last place with William Mehlhorn, New York; Henry Clui, Mill River, Conn.; A. Houghton, Rockville, Maryland; and Waldor Crowder, Kirtland, Ill. Hagen had a 70 for his morning round, but on the afternoon his putter failed completely and he turned in a card of 76.

COOPER DISQUALIFIED
Disqualification of "Lighthouse" Harry Cooper, of Buffalo, who finished with 146 to qualify, placed the "Hag" in the group of thirty-two who will continue medal play, along with Clui and Mehlhorn. Houghton and Crowder were left by the wayside in an elimination round, eliminated at the fourth hole at dusk. Cooper was dropped at the request of the P.G.A. president, Alie Pierce, on the ground that he did not compete in his district final.

THE QUALIFIERS
The following qualified to enter the match play of the Professional Golfers' Association championship on the Hillcrest Country Club course here tomorrow:

Fred Morrison, Los Angeles, 136.
Leo Diegel, Agua Caliente, 140.
Gene Sarazen, Fresh Meadow, N.Y., 141.
John Golden, Paterson, N.J., 141.
Tony Manero, New York, 141.
Densmore Shute, Youngstown, Ohio, 142.
Charles Gural, Los Angeles, 143.
Al Espinosa, Chicago, 143.
Albert Alcroft, Youngstown, Ohio, 143.
Horton Smith, Joplin, Mo., 144.
Frank Walsh, Chicago, 144.
Larry Nabholz, Houston, Texas, 145.
Bob Shave, Aurora, Ohio, 145.
Craigwood, Long Island, 145.
Al Watrous, Detroit, 145.
Guy Paulsen, Chicago, 146.
Herman Barron, White Plains, N.Y., 146.
Clarence Clark, McFarland, Okla., 146.
David Hackney, Methuen, Mass., 146.

Golf Swing Really a Pendulum Swing



By SOL METZGER
At the finish of the golf swing one is in almost the exact opposite position he occupied at the top. There is one difference. You are on the top slowly with your club and are not pulled quite as far around. As your finish is reached by maximum muscular effort you are further around and your club farther over the shoulder.

Compare Braid at the top of his swing with the other old master, Vardon, at the finish. Braid has a braced right side, Vardon a braced left. Braid has a straight left arm, Vardon's is bent at the elbow due to the pull of his clubhead going up and over his left shoulder.

All of which proves that the golf swing is a pendulum swing and that you come down as you go back. The idea that your club swings in a groove is sound. It actually does. Thus, to master the swing you must first clearly understand its three fundamentals—the grip, the arm, and the pivot—as they have been presented through me to you by Arthur Goss, pro of the Everglades Club, Palm Beach.

Clarence Dozer, Rochester, N.Y., 147.
P. O. Hart, Wheeling, W. Va., 147.
Willy Cox, Brooklyn, 147.
Joe Kirkwood, Philadelphia, 147.
M. F. Dutra, Tacoma, 147.
Neal McIntyre, Indianapolis, 147.
N. Christian, Portland, Ore., 148.
Eddie Schultz, Troy, N.Y., 148.
Johnny Farrell, Long Island, N.Y., 148.
Jock Hendray, St. Paul, 148.
Walter Hagen, Detroit, 149.
Henry Clui, Mill River, Conn., 149.
Bill Mehlhorn, New York, 149.

TODAY'S DRAW
Pairings for tomorrow's final round thirty-six-hole match will follow:
Nabholz vs. Alcroft.
McIntyre vs. Watrous.
Hackney vs. Espinosa.
Paulsen vs. Mehlhorn.
Christian vs. Walsh.
Smith vs. Wood.
Clark vs. Clui.
Golden vs. Farrell.
Manero vs. Shute.
Cox vs. Schultz.
Shave vs. Hagen.
Guest vs. Dutra.
Dozer vs. Barron.
Diegel vs. Hart.
Morrison vs. Kirkwood.
Sarazen vs. Hendry.

RANGERS AND BRUINS LOSE

Leaders in American Section of National Hockey League Defeated by Black Hawks, 3 to 1

DETROIT COUGARS NOSE OUT N.Y., 4-3

DETROIT, Dec. 2.—A second string man scored his first National Hockey League goal this season here last night and brought about defeat of the New York Rangers by the Detroit Cougars, 4 to 3, in a fast game that turned into a frantic scramble during the last half of the final period.

Bernie Brophy, Detroit substitute wing man, came on the ice in the middle of the final period with the score tied, three-all, swept into New York territory, caught up a loose puck and sent it skimming crosswise across the goal.

The teams followed:
New York—Roach, Johnson, Bourgeois, Boucher, W. Cook, F. Cook, Detroit—Beveridge, Noble, Hicks, Goodfellow, Alcroft, Youngstown, Ohio, 143.
Horton Smith, Joplin, Mo., 144.
Frank Walsh, Chicago, 144.
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HAWKS STOP BRUINS
CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Grabbing the jump with two goals early in the first period, the Chicago Black Hawks defeated the Boston Bruins, 3-1, in a National League game last night. About 6,500 spectators saw the Bruins go down, battling furiously, to their second defeat of the season.

The teams followed:
Boston—Thompson, Hittman, Shere, Carson, Galbraith and Oliver. Chicago—Gardiner, Wentworth, Dzikowski, Somers, Gottselig and Couture.
Boston substitutes—Owen, Clapper, Welland, Gainer, Mackay and Barry.
Chicago substitutes—Ripley, March, Armour, Miller, Cook, Burns, R. Taylor, J. Taylor and Ingram.
Officials—George Mallinson and P. Berlinguette.

Rugger Breaks Arm; Continues To Finish Game
Although he had his arm broken in the first ten minutes of the Oak Bay Wanderers-Victoria College intermediate Rugby fixture on Saturday afternoon at the High School grounds, Don Stewart, eleven three-quarter of the Wanderers, played through the remainder of the game despite his painful handicap. Stewart is making good progress and expects to be in harness when the second half opens.

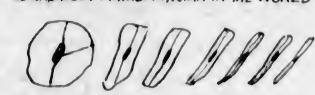
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Queensland Downs Marylebone Club By Five Wickets
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British Swimmers Will Not Compete At Empire Sports
LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Amateur Swimming Association of Great Britain has decided not to send any representatives to the British Empire games at Hamilton next year.

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Reg Wenman Will Captain Victoria Rugby Fifteen

Veteran Player to Skipper "Rep" Side Against Vancouver Here Saturday—Two More Work-outs Will Be Held at High School

Victoria's "rep" Rugby fifteen which will oppose Vancouver here on Saturday at the Royal Athletic Park at 3 o'clock in a McKeehan Cup fixture, will be in the pink of condition. Players named by the selection committee last week have already attended three practices, and two additional practices are on the orders before the boys stack up against the invading Mainland aggregation. Tonight at 7:30 o'clock, and again on Thursday at the same hour, the players will put in a couple of hours hard work under the watchful eyes of the selection committee and Bob Travis, manager. Following these work-outs they will rest until Saturday afternoon, when Victoria makes its return to the McKeehan Cup series.

WENMAN IS SKIPPER
Reg Wenman, popular and well-known figure in local oval ball circles for many years, has been named skipper of Victoria's "rep" side. Wenman has participated in many McKeehan Cup matches and his appointment to this post should be a great asset to the locals. Wenman was selected after Sunday's workout.

The team which was selected following last Saturday's practice, follows:
Fullback—Frampton (J.B.A.A.).
Three-quarters—Fell (J.B.A.A.), Webster (J.B.A.A.), Hummings (18th), Reg. Wenman (16th), Hume (J.B.A.A.), Tye (16th).
Halfback—Cockin (J.B.A.A.).
Forwards—Bruce Forbes (16th), Rowland (16th), Lamp (16th), MacLeod (J.B.A.A.), Warnock (J.B.A.A.), Goad (J.B.A.A.), Campbell Forbes (16th).
Reserve backs—Parker (J.B.A.A.), Kinman (16th), Le Marquand (J.B.A.A.), Pollard (16th).
Reserve forwards—Moses (J.B.A.A.), Riddell (16th) and Miller (16th).

MANY ENTRIES ARE EXPECTED

Automotive Golf Tournament to Be Held at Uplands Golf Club Attracting Much Interest

From present indications, the entry list for the Automotive Golf Tournament, to be held at the Uplands Golf Club next Sunday, under the auspices of L. Somnerville & Sons, Incorporated, refiners of Pennsylvania motor oils and greases, will be a large one.

The tourney is open to anyone in the retail automotive business on Vancouver Island, and those intending to enter are reminded that all entries must be filed with Ed Revercomb, of Whitaker & Revercomb, Limited, Amalie distributors for the island, before 3 o'clock, Thursday afternoon.

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St. Thomas Off For Dominion Junior Tussle
ST. THOMAS, Ont., Dec. 2.—St. Thomas Tigers left this afternoon for Moose Jaw, Sask., to play the Maroons for the Dominion Junior Rugby championship. The city council met today and decided to guarantee whatever amount is lacking to take care of expenses incurred. All St. Thomas players and the coach will make the trip.

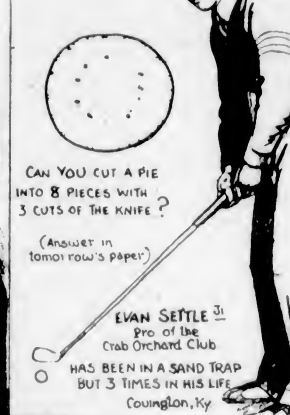
Ottawa Rideaus To Be Punished By Rugby Union
MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—Drastic action will be taken against members of the Ottawa Rideaus team for their part in the melee which occurred after the Eastern Junior Rugby final at the capital Saturday. It was announced today by S. C. Holland, honorary president of the Canadian Rugby Union, that the Rideaus are being reprimanded from the referee and other officials of the game, and when they are completed, Mr. Holland said, a decision on the Ottawa players will be made.

Albani Wins
Albani District High School defeated Harmony girls' quintette, 22-18, in an exhibition game played at Uplands Saturday night. Teams follow:
Albani District High School—K. Manning (4), J. MacDonald (12), A. Warren, V. Donnelly (4), P. Frost (2), and M. Larsen.
Harmony—A. Lalonde (2), C. Freeman (4), J. Alexander (2), C. Alexander and M. Peden (10).

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Victoria's "rep" Rugby fifteen which will oppose Vancouver here on Saturday at the Royal Athletic Park at 3 o'clock in a McKeehan Cup fixture, will be in the pink of condition. Players named by the selection committee last week have already attended three practices, and two additional practices are on the orders before the boys stack up against the invading Mainland aggregation. Tonight at 7:30 o'clock, and again on Thursday at the same hour, the players will put in a couple of hours hard work under the watchful eyes of the selection committee and Bob Travis, manager. Following these work-outs they will rest until Saturday afternoon, when Victoria makes its return to the McKeehan Cup series.

WENMAN IS SKIPPER
Reg Wenman, popular and well-known figure in local oval ball circles for many years, has been named skipper of Victoria's "rep" side. Wenman has participated in many McKeehan Cup matches and his appointment to this post should be a great asset to the locals. Wenman was selected after Sunday's workout.

The team which was selected following last Saturday's practice, follows:
Fullback—Frampton (J.B.A.A.).
Three-quarters—Fell (J.B.A.A.), Webster (J.B.A.A.), Hummings (18th), Reg. Wenman (16th), Hume (J.B.A.A.), Tye (16th).
Halfback—Cockin (J.B.A.A.).
Forwards—Bruce Forbes (16th), Rowland (16th), Lamp (16th), MacLeod (J.B.A.A.), Warnock (J.B.A.A.), Goad (J.B.A.A.), Campbell Forbes (16th).
Reserve backs—Parker (J.B.A.A.), Kinman (16th), Le Marquand (J.B.A.A.), Pollard (16th).
Reserve forwards—Moses (J.B.A.A.), Riddell (16th) and Miller (16th).

MANY ENTRIES ARE EXPECTED

Automotive Golf Tournament to Be Held at Uplands Golf Club Attracting Much Interest

From present indications, the entry list for the Automotive Golf Tournament, to be held at the Uplands Golf Club next Sunday, under the auspices of L. Somnerville & Sons, Incorporated, refiners of Pennsylvania motor oils and greases, will be a large one.

The tourney is open to anyone in the retail automotive business on Vancouver Island, and those intending to enter are reminded that all entries must be filed with Ed Revercomb, of Whitaker & Revercomb, Limited, Amalie distributors for the island, before 3 o'clock, Thursday afternoon.

Queensland Downs Marylebone Club By Five Wickets
BRISBANE, Australia, Dec. 2.—Queensland defeated the touring Marylebone Cricket Club's eleven today by five wickets. The innings score was M.C.C., 171 and 289, Queensland, 248 and 184 for five wickets. Worthington made a fine effort today to pull the M.C.C. out of the mud, scoring 86. Gough, for Queensland, made 104.

CUBS SEARCHING FOR STAR CHUCKER
CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—A renewal of the Cubs' search for a first rate left-handed pitcher was set for today with the arrival of Manager Joe McCarthy to take things over with President William L. Veeck. McCarthy was to arrive from his home in Buffalo this morning for a get-together with Mr. Veeck before they leave for Chattanooga, Tenn., to attend the annual meeting of minor league owners.

St. Thomas Off For Dominion Junior Tussle
ST. THOMAS, Ont., Dec. 2.—St. Thomas Tigers left this afternoon for Moose Jaw, Sask., to play the Maroons for the Dominion Junior Rugby championship. The city council met today and decided to guarantee whatever amount is lacking to take care of expenses incurred. All St. Thomas players and the coach will make the trip.

Ottawa Rideaus To Be Punished By Rugby Union
MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—Drastic action will be taken against members of the Ottawa Rideaus team for their part in the melee which occurred after the Eastern Junior Rugby final at the capital Saturday. It was announced today by S. C. Holland, honorary president of the Canadian Rugby Union, that the Rideaus are being reprimanded from the referee and other officials of the game, and when they are completed, Mr. Holland said, a decision on the Ottawa players will be made.

Albani Wins
Albani District High School defeated Harmony girls' quintette, 22-18, in an exhibition game played at Uplands Saturday night. Teams follow:
Albani District High School—K. Manning (4), J. MacDonald (12), A. Warren, V. Donnelly (4), P. Frost (2), and M. Larsen.
Harmony—A. Lalonde (2), C. Freeman (4), J. Alexander (2), C. Alexander and M. Peden (10).

Head of Dominion Rugby Union May Start Cup Match

J. F. FIFE-SMITH, president of the Dominion Rugby Union, and E. S. Woodward, secretary of the British Columbia Rugby Union, are expected here Saturday to witness the McKeehan Cup match between "rep" fifteen from Vancouver and Victoria. In the advent of the Dominion president making the trip, he will be met at the hotel by F. F. Curtis, president of the Victoria Rugby Union, and taken to the Royal Athletic Park, where he will officially reopen the McKeehan Cup series here by kicking off the leather. This ceremony is scheduled to take place at 3 o'clock.

HEAVY CROWD EXPECTED AT BOXING SHOW

Great Interest Being Evidenced in Albion Davies-Burgess Mix—Jumbo Davies to Meet Hay

ADMISSION PRICE FOR BOUTS DOWN

Officials of the Victoria Boxing Club feel anxious that their opening show on Saturday, at the Thillium gymnasium, will be witnessed by a capacity crowd. Seats went on sale yesterday, and from reports received all records will be broken for advance sales.

The feature bout, between Tommy Burgess and Albion Davies, is causing a lot of comment. Both fighters have a strong following, and it is predicted that these two fighters will put up a thrilling bout. There is intense rivalry existing between them and they will both be out to win by the sleep-producing route. Burgess, before leaving this city for Vancouver, offered to wager with two local sportsmen, that in the event of Davies and he coming together in the padded ring that he would stay away his rival with a knockout within six rounds. This appears to be quite an undertaking, as the local boy has yet to be knocked off his pins in the forty-five contests that he has engaged in. Albion is spending lots of time in improving his punching ability, and it looks as if he is going to try and hand out a sleeper producer himself.

The semi-windup between Jumbo Davies and Wing Hay is creating as much attention as the main event. Both fighters are favorably known here, and fans know that they will keep them on their toes from start to finish. This bout is good enough for the main event on any card, and the club officials hesitated before adding it to Saturday night's programme, as they felt it would make a good main event for the next promotion. They felt, however, that they must offer a super show at the present time in order to bring back the sport into public favor once more, and it was with this idea in view that the match was arranged.

The other two bouts are also especially attractive. Eddie Judson will tackle Johnny Duffy in one of the main events, and Baptiste Thomas will swap punches with Eddie Ketchell, of Seattle, in the other four-rounder.

TWO COUPLES ARE TIED FOR HONORS IN GOLF TOURNEY

Mrs. Charles E. Wilson and H. O. Wilson, and Mrs. H. F. Crowe and A. D. Straith finished in a tie for the first place in the mixed four-somes played at the Colwood Golf and Country Club on Sunday by checking in net totals of 82. Third place went to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lee with a score of 82 1-2.

The scores follow:
Mrs. Charles E. Wilson and H. O. Wilson, 82.
Mrs. H. F. Crowe and A. D. Straith, 82.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lee, 82 1-2.
Mrs. M. Hall and R. J. Darius, 84.
Mrs. W. H. and L. Lineham, 85.
Mr. and Mrs. F. Forbes Wilson, 86 1-2.
Mrs. F. J. Hall and W. W. Hall, 86.
Miss B. Richards and Dr. Haynes, 86 1-2.
Mrs. Bennett and F. Thomas, 86 1-2.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Richardson, 87 1-2.
Miss Noonan and F. J. Hall, 87 1-2.
Mrs. Philbrick and Charles E. Wilson, 88.
Mr. and Mrs. Leeming 89.

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Winkler Shows Great Form as Seattleites Tie With Vancouver

Score Is 1-1 After Extra Overtime Period—3,500 Watch Eskimos Keep Unbeaten Record in Coast League

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—The Pacific Coast Hockey League game here tonight between Seattle Eskimos and Vancouver Lions went into overtime, and ended in a 1-1 tie. The league-leading Eskimos scored in the first period and the Lions in the second. After that both teams worked hard for victory but failed. It was Seattle's first tie of the season. They have not been defeated in five games played.

"Baldy" Winkler, playing as brilliantly as he ever played, robbed the Lions of victory. For ten minutes of the first period Winkler was called to stop more shots than any goalie in the league had faced in a similar time since his inception, and the veteran came through the ordeal flawlessly, and with the admiration of 3,500 fans, expressed in the usual hockey fan manner, ringing in his ears.

LIONS' GOAL FLUKEY
While the Lions had the best of the play, Seattle really got a tough break on the goal that was scored by the locals. That goal Phillips flipping in during a scrimmage and it was more of a fluke.

More real thrills were packed into the game, particularly in the first period, than in most of the mid-season contests last year. For the most part, the play was fairly and

lacking in that close-knit smoothness that makes for effectiveness, but the boys tried so valiantly and fought with such determination that they made it look good in spite of their faults. Doug Brennan, Bill Phillips and Beattie were probably the pick of the local squad, with Browne and Reinkka standing out for Seattle. Browne played a great game. The line-ups:

Vancouver Goal..... Seattle Winkler
Brennan..... Defence..... Benson
J. Jervia..... Forward..... Reinkka
Phillips..... Forward..... Harris
Beattie..... Centre..... Savage
McAdam..... Sub..... Sutherland
Cummings..... Sub..... Anderson
Dunn..... Sub..... Browne
Arnold..... Sub..... Townsend
P. Jervia..... Sub.....
Referee—Mickey Ion.

Summary
First period—1, Seattle. Browne from Reinkka, 14. Penalties: Townsend (2), Savage (2), Daly, McAdam.
Second period—2, Vancouver. Phillips from Sanderson, 12-59. Penalties: Townsend, Jewell.
Third period—No score. Penalties: Benson (2), McAdam, Savage, Sutherland, Townsend, Daly, Beattie.
Overtime period—No score. Penalties: None.

Holiday Soccer Card Arranged; Four Games Set
SOCCER fans are going to get plenty of their favorite sport during the Yuletide holiday, when four matches are carded—two on Christmas Day and two on New Year's Day. On the morning of Christmas Day, Seattle Thistles and Victoria West will meet in the semi-final of the Peden Cup. The kick-off is set for 10 o'clock. In the afternoon the Jokers and Victoria City will battle in the final of the Milton Cup. This game will start at 2:15 o'clock.

On New Year's Day, in the morning, junior teams will play in a cup match, and in the afternoon All-Star eleven from the Saturday and Wednesday Leagues will meet in the first game of the Ansonby Cup series for the city championship. It is expected to play the second game of this series on Good Friday.

Can the Spanish Thistles, leaders of the Spanish Football League, put a halt to the winning streak of the Navy, midweek eleven? That's a question being asked in local soccer circles with the announcement that these clubs will play in a Province Cup match at Beacon Hill on Saturday at 2:30 o'clock. The sailors have demonstrated that they are the best in a cup match, and by only a lone goal. On Saturday they will be out to show the Navy followers that the sailors are not capable of adding another defeat to their season's record.

LEAGUE GAMES
In addition to the cup fixtures two league matches are scheduled. Victoria West will battle Victoria City at Victoria West Park, commencing at 2:30 o'clock, and the Five C's are billed to meet Esquimalt, but no ground has been definitely decided upon. There is a possibility, however, of the match being played at Central Park.

'TORCHY' PEDEN ADDRESSES GYROS
Local Professional Bicycle Rider, Who Is Under Suspension, Tells of Experiences in the East
Bill "Torchy" Peden, native son of this city and known as the "fled Comet" of the cycling world, who has been riding as a professional in the East, gave a very interesting address to the members of the local Gyro Club yesterday at their luncheon on "Big Time Bicycle Riding."

Peden, who was recently suspended by the dukes of the American Cycling Association, owing to a misunderstanding over his contract, told of how they ran the six-day meets and various world-famed riders he had ridden against in special or challenge races.

One of Peden's challenges was accepted by Gerard Debaets, noted Belgian rider, who defeated him in two out of three races. Another one that remains in his mind was the challenge of Reggie McNamara, the "iron man" of the cycle world. The honors were evenly divided in four races, each rider winning two.

Centennial Hoopsters Defeat Douglas Baptists
The Centennial Sunday School basketball team had little difficulty in defeating the Douglas Street Baptists in the regular Sunday School League fixture at the Centennial Gymnasium Saturday. The score was 26 to 6 for the Centennial crew. C. Henson accounting for ten points. The teams, with their individual scores, follow:
Centennial: L. Baker (2), C. Alexander (2), C. Henson (10), G. Pringle, C. McLeod (3), C. Rich (2).
Douglas Street Baptists: H. Hetherington (2), P. Tyson (2), D. Tyson (2), C. Crocker, Henry Tyson and Alf Hayward.

Signs With Pirates
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 2.—Reg. Mannery, who started last year with the Philadelphia amateur hockey champions, has been signed to play for the Pittsburgh Pirates of the National Hockey League. He played for the Pirates Saturday night against the Boston Bruins. Mannery's home is in Ottawa.

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ONLY ROUTINE FOR NANAIMO COUNCIL

Business Continued to Minor Matters—Consent Given for Start on Christmas Decorations

NANAIMO, Dec. 2.—The regular weekly meeting of the City Council was held this evening in the Council Chambers. Outside the dealing with communication very little business was transacted.

A letter was received from Mr. N. R. Wright, secretary of the local Retail Association, asking permission of the Council for a committee of his to meet the Council sitting in committee in regard to an early start being made on street and window decorations for the Christmas season here. Mr. Wright will be notified and permission granted.

Mr. Sutton's offer of \$900 for lot 9, block 38, which is situated on the corner of Campbell and Richard Streets, was, after a lengthy discussion, accepted.

A water tapping request of Mr. William Little, Dixon Street, was granted.

Public Works Manager Shepherd reported an expenditure during the past week of \$112.75 on public works and on waterworks \$545.95.

The report of the fire chief showed that the loss from fires for the month of November was \$30. The fire department was called out to six fires during the month. The report was received and filed.

Alderman Smith wished to ask the public not to waste the water.

On seconding this motion Alderman Barsby said the gages should also be warned. He also declared that Nanaimo at the present time was

as well off as any city on the coast in regard to water.

Under the heading of unfinished business Alderman Ironsides, secretary of the legislative committee, read a lengthy report on the city manager plan.

The Council then adjourned, having no further business to deal with.

Pioneer Is Buried At Port Alberni

PORT ALBERNI, Dec. 2.—On Saturday morning the funeral of Mr. Patrick D. Sullivan took place. Rev. Father Bradley officiating. Mr. Sullivan, who died last Tuesday, was one of the old-timers of the district, having resided here between thirty-five and forty years. He was noted for his stories of the time when Port Alberni did not exist and was nothing but a big forest. He was one of the workers who assisted in making the trail from Alberni to what is now Port Alberni.

Cow-Testing Results

Following is a list of cows in the Vancouver Island South Association that gave fifty pounds or more of butterfat for November, 1929:

Sped (28), J.H. milk 1,643 pounds, fat 62.4; owner, Max Nissen.
Lotta Red of Hill Farm (105), P.B.G. milk 1,240 pounds, fat 62; owner, A. Forbes.
Daisy (72), J.H. milk 1,427 pounds, fat 59.8; owner, S. Fox.
Primrose (70), H. milk 1,749 pounds, fat 59.4; owner, E. & T. Raper.

Buttercup (88), H. milk 1,811 pounds, fat 57.9; owners, E. & T. Raper.

Blackie (74), J.H. milk 1,199 pounds, fat 57.5; owner, S. Fox.

Daisy (47), J.H. milk 1,466 pounds, fat 56.7; owner, Max Nissen.

Echo of Rose (102), P.B.G. milk 1,162 pounds, fat 55.7; owner, A. Forbes.

Echo of Penny Bryn (212), P.B.G. milk 1,038 pounds, fat 55; owner, A. Forbes.

Mary (87), H. milk 1,871 pounds, fat 53.4; owners, E. & T. Raper.

Blackie (99), J.H. milk 1,112 pounds, fat 53.3; owner, Max Nissen.

Sadie (75), H. milk 1,725 pounds, fat 53.4; owners, E. & T. Raper.

Sullivan (184), H. milk 1,385 pounds, fat 52.8; owners, E. & T. Raper.

Dulcie (65), J.H. milk 1,137 pounds, fat 52.3; owner, Charles McIlroy.

Punch (110), H. milk 1,525 pounds, fat 50.3; owner, R. Mercer.

Molly (80), J.H. milk 1,227 pounds, fat 50.3; owner, S. Fox.

Bluey (122), H. milk 1,257 pounds, fat 50.2; owners, E. & T. Raper.

Two-year-olds, forty pounds of butter or more:

Mary Ellen (71), H. milk 1,356 pounds, fat 46.1; owners, E. & T. Raper.

Doris (115), J.H. milk 1,019 pounds, fat 43.9; owner, F. Turgoose.

Annacia London Analysts, P.B.G. milk 914 pounds; fat 43.8; owner, A. Forbes.

Allen (81), H. milk 1,350 pounds, fat 43.2; owners, E. & T. Raper.

Holly (88), H. milk 1,200 pounds, fat 43.2; owners, E. & T. Raper.

Figures in brackets indicate number of days since freshening.

Sooke Basketball

SOOKE, Dec. 2.—The Sooke Athletic Association held its first basketball game of the season on Saturday evening in Charters Hall, when the Sooke men won by a decisive margin over a Victoria team. The final score was 53-18. The Sooke boys were in the lead all the way through with Cliff Charters in his usual trim making the basket from all angles, helping to make victory easy over their opponents.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

Bowser Finds Flip's Lost Prize

—By THORNTON W. BURGESS—

Be not too sure until you know That this is thus and so is so.

—Unc' Billy Possum.

"What are you grinning at?" demanded Flip sharply.

Bowser the Hound grinned more broadly than ever. "So you think," said he, "that some one has carried away that rat."

"I don't think anything about it," retorted Flip sharply. "I know. I killed him and left him here, and now he's gone. That ought to be proof enough for anybody."

Bowser grinned again. "You follow me," said he.

"Where are you going?" demanded Flip.

"Never mind where I'm going; you follow me," replied Bowser, and started off with that wonderful nose of his to the ground. His tail was wagging and he kept sniffing and sniffing. Flip put his nose to the ground and sniffed also. He smelled the same scent that he had smelled when he sniffed at that big rat he had killed; but he got it only faintly and it didn't mean anything to him. Flip doesn't have such a wonderful nose as Bowser the Hound. Straight over toward the old stone wall Bowser led the way, with Flip right at his heels. Bowser climbed over the old stone wall and went straight over to the nearest apple tree. Then he began to sniff at the trunk of the apple tree.

"I thought as much," said he, and looked up. "There's your big rat way up there," said Bowser. "Look up there at that crotch in the tree."

Of course, Flip looked up. Then he rubbed his eyes and looked again. There in the crotch of that tree sat Unc' Billy Possum, grinning down at him. Flip became excited. "That's another one of those big rats," he barked. "There must have been two of them."

"No," said Bowser, grinning more broadly than before. "It is the same one."

"No such thing!" barked Flip. "I tell you I killed the other one. I killed him and dragged him clear around the henhouse. This must be his mate."

"And I tell you," replied Bowser, "that it is the same one. By the way, that fellow isn't a rat at all."

"If he isn't a rat, what is he?" demanded Flip.

"That is Unc' Billy Possum," replied Bowser. "And Unc' Billy has just been fooling you. It was Unc' Billy you caught and this is Unc' Billy up in the tree. You didn't kill him at all. I doubt if you even hurt him."

"But I tell you he was dead!" barked Flip. "I guess I ought to know!"

"And I tell you, he wasn't dead!" retorted Bowser. "Unc' Billy was only pretending to be dead. He fooled me that same way once when I was much younger. Unc' Billy would feel insulted if he knew that you call him a rat. He isn't even related to the rats. He saw he couldn't escape from you in any other way, so he played dead. And then you went off and left him. He is a clever fellow, is Unc' Billy Possum. He has fooled many people that way, so you needn't feel bad about it. He is full of tricks, is Unc' Billy Possum. And this trick of pretending to be dead is the best one he has. He even fooled Farmer Brown's Boy with it once."

Flip looked up at Unc' Billy and Unc' Billy drew back his lips in a most provoking kind of grin. It was more than Flip could stand. He once more began to bark.

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The next story: "Farmer Brown's Boy Arrives"

ROD AND GUN CLUB PRIZES PRESENTED

Mayor Maxwell Chairman at Smoking Concert Held at Cumberland

CUMBERLAND, Dec. 2.—A large number of the members of the Cumberland Rod and Gun Club met at the Cumberland Hall on Saturday night at a smoker, at which cups won during the past year were presented to the successful competitors, both in the fishing and shooting competitions held.

Mayor Alex. Maxwell, a prominent member of the club, acted as chairman and made the presentations. Briefly he reviewed the activities of the club during the past season and complimented the officials on the very successful results. In presenting the cups to the winners he congratulated them on their prowess and sportsmanship.

Those receiving cups were: Gibbs Cup, for fishing, Mr. Ed. Morris; Reifel Cup, for trapshooting, Mr. L. Freleone; Freleone Cup, for trapshooting, Mr. Carl Coe.

Several instrumental and vocal selections were rendered during the evening, those contributing to a varied programme being: instrumental selections, Alf Pilling; trombone solos, J. Thompson; saxophone solos and anecdotes, Messrs. W. Douglas and W. Mossey; song, Messrs. W. Brown, G. J. Richardson, J. Ellis, W. Herd, Skipper Murray, W. Williams, G. Brown, Raga, Teddy Morris and Sam Williams. Teddy Morris' solo on the violin, accompanied all the evening, rendered a couple of solos whilst the Merry Makers' Orchestra considerably enlivened the proceedings with a number of the latest dance hits.

Dedicates Prayer Desk at Qualicum

QUALICUM BEACH, Dec. 2.—At evening song in St. Mark's Church on Advent Sunday, a handsome prayer desk given by Mrs. G. S. Page's embroidery class, was solemnly dedicated by the vicar. This is the second gift made to the church within a few weeks by this class, the first gift being some heavy brass altar candlesticks. It is chiefly to the effort of these ladies that the priest and congregation of St. Mark's owe most of the beautiful furnishings of the chancel and sanctuary of their church.

Died in Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Dec. 2.—The death occurred on Saturday morning of Mr. Fred Nash, at his rooms in the Gibson Block, Commercial Street, after being a resident here since 1891. Mr. Nash was a native of England, coming to Canada in the year 1874, first settling at Mount Forest in Ontario, where he engaged in farming for a period of thirteen years. Later he resided for a short time in Manitoba and arrived in this city thirty-eight years ago. Aged sixty-five years, he leaves to mourn his loss one daughter, Mrs. J. P. McDonald, of Copper Mountain, B.C., and two sons, Alfred, of Long Beach, Cal., and Wilfred, William, residing on Macleary Street, Nanaimo.

Dies at Duncan

DUNCAN, Dec. 2.—The death occurred yesterday of Mrs. Frances May Strigley, wife of Mr. C. B. Strigley, of Shawanigan Lake. The deceased was thirty-nine years of age and was born in Seattle. She had resided in this district for seven months, and in the province for twelve years. Her remains are being shipped by the Whidden Undertaking Parlor to Seattle, where interment will be made.

An American millionaire says that he has never yet visited a London night club. This accounts for the fact that he is still a millionaire, says a London paper.

Premier May Speak At Annual Supper Of Brentwood Board

BRENTWOOD, Dec. 2.—The annual Board of Trade supper will be held in the Institute Hall on Wednesday evening, December 4. It is expected that Premier Tolmie, Mayor Anson and members of various Boards of Trade will be present.

Cumberland Cribbage

CUMBERLAND, Dec. 2.—In the foursome cribbage competition just completed at the Athletic Club, "Tucker" James and Fred Martin were returned winners, with Tommy Garney and W. Warren obtaining second place. So successful was the last tournament that entries are

now being received for another foursome which is being called the Christmas tournament. It being expected to have the finals played and prizes awarded just prior to Christmas.

Gigantic Wind Tunnel To Be Built for Tests

LANGLEY FIELD, Va., Dec. 2.—Bids for construction of a gigantic wind tunnel, in which full scale models of all except the larger planes built in this country may be tested, are to be asked shortly by the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics. The huge tunnel, the largest in the world, will be built at the committee's Langley Field laboratory.

Unlike the ordinary wind tunnel, which is round, the new tunnel will be oval, twenty-five feet high and

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

FLUCTUATIONS
AT VANCOUVER
MOSTLY MIXED

Mill City Feature of Trading but Large Business Is Done in Merland Which Closes Strong

CHANGES MAINLY
ON NARROW SIDE

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—Mill City featured the trade in the oils today with a net gain of \$1.25 at \$7.25 on a turnover of 1,100 shares. The general oil list was mixed with the price changes narrow. Mines continued quiet.

Merland was again the big trader and after opening at \$1.65, a week-end gain of 11 cents, profit taking set in, forcing the price down to \$1.42, but strength developed again with the close 5 cents net higher at \$1.50. Home traded steady at \$11.50, while mixed gains and losses of 2 to 5 cents were scattered through the balance of the list.

The Eastern group of mines were easier, Falconbridge leading with a loss of 50 cents at \$5.50. Big Mis-

souri was 2 cents firmer at 65 cents; Pend Oreille 5 cents at \$3.10. Price changes elsewhere were small.

(B.C. Bond Corporation, Ltd.)

MINING

Stock	High	Low	Open	Close
B.C. Silver	1.00	.98	.99	.99
Bayview	.02	.01	.01	.01
Grandview	.02	.01	.01	.01
Independence	.02	.01	.01	.01
Indian Mines	.02	.01	.01	.01
International Coal	.02	.01	.01	.01
Kootenay Florence	.02	.01	.01	.01
Kootenay King	.02	.01	.01	.01
Lucky Jim	.02	.01	.01	.01
Mohawk	.02	.01	.01	.01
Marion Metals	.02	.01	.01	.01
National Silver, O.B.	.02	.01	.01	.01
Noble Five	.02	.01	.01	.01
Oregon Copper	.02	.01	.01	.01
Pend Oreille, com.	3.10	3.15	3.10	3.15
Pioneer Gold	.02	.01	.01	.01
Palomares	.02	.01	.01	.01
Sherritt Gordon	.02	.01	.01	.01
Ventura	.02	.01	.01	.01
Pianet Mines	.02	.01	.01	.01
Prentiss	.02	.01	.01	.01
Porter-Idaho	.02	.01	.01	.01
Ruth Hope	.02	.01	.01	.01
Reeves-McDonald	.02	.01	.01	.01
Silvercup	.02	.01	.01	.01
Silverado	.02	.01	.01	.01
Sloan Hamlet	.02	.01	.01	.01
Snowflake	.02	.01	.01	.01
Sunshine	.02	.01	.01	.01
Terrace	.02	.01	.01	.01
Topsy Richfield	.02	.01	.01	.01
Toric Mines	.02	.01	.01	.01
Wellington	.02	.01	.01	.01

MISCELLANEOUS

Stock	High	Low	Open	Close
A.P.C.	2.10	2.15	2.10	2.15
Falconbridge	.02	.01	.01	.01
Home Oil	.02	.01	.01	.01
Illinois	.02	.01	.01	.01
Dalhousie Oil	.02	.01	.01	.01
Marion Metals	.02	.01	.01	.01
Mayland Oil	.02	.01	.01	.01
Merland	.02	.01	.01	.01
New McDaniel	.02	.01	.01	.01
Royalite	.02	.01	.01	.01

MORNING SALES

Stock	High	Low	Open	Close
Merland	1.50	1.45	1.45	1.50
Home Oil	.02	.01	.01	.01
Illinois	.02	.01	.01	.01
Dalhousie Oil	.02	.01	.01	.01
Marion Metals	.02	.01	.01	.01
Mayland Oil	.02	.01	.01	.01
Merland	.02	.01	.01	.01
New McDaniel	.02	.01	.01	.01
Royalite	.02	.01	.01	.01

AFTERNOON SALES

Stock	High	Low	Open	Close
A.P.C.	2.10	2.15	2.10	2.15
Falconbridge	.02	.01	.01	.01
Home Oil	.02	.01	.01	.01
Illinois	.02	.01	.01	.01
Dalhousie Oil	.02	.01	.01	.01
Marion Metals	.02	.01	.01	.01
Mayland Oil	.02	.01	.01	.01
Merland	.02	.01	.01	.01
New McDaniel	.02	.01	.01	.01
Royalite	.02	.01	.01	.01

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Holders of the 5% British War Loan due 1929-47 have certain conversion privileges in connection with the issue of the new 5% loan due 1944-64.

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Plans for Consolidating
United States Railways
Are Nearing Completion

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The plan of the Interstate Commerce Commission for consolidation of the nation's railroads will be completed and adopted within the next few weeks, and will be sent to Congress for its information. The fact that the commission has nearly concluded the tremendous task of formulating a plan became known yesterday. It will inevitably arouse tremendous interest in railroad and financial quarters, as well as in legislative circles. Although no official information has been given concerning details of the proposed consolidation, indications, based on a thorough unofficial study of the situation are that some of the leading features of the plan will be as follows:

The creation of five great systems in the East, including the Pennsylvania, New York Central, Baltimore & Ohio, Chesapeake & Ohio, and Wabash Railways, approval of the merger of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific Railways, but the Burlington & Quincy not included in this system. Under the arrangement the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy would be made the basis of a separate system. Five or six systems to be built up in New England with the principal railroads of that section of the country as the bases. Consolidations of southern territory to be worked out largely along present alignments, with the Seaboard Airline united with the Southern Railway. Southwestern & Quincy would be consolidated with the Illinois Central and some of the strong western lines.

Efforts to regain control of the former locomotive Company by the company are reported in the financial district, as a result of the activity and erratic fluctuations in the stock list. Due to the heavy equipment buying for 1929 being undertaken by the roads of the country, it is said that Baldwin, according to an investigation, manufacturing concerns is in line for the best period it has enjoyed for the last six years.

The Public Service Company announced that it will begin this month an investigation into the present and future adequacy of the service on the Long Island Railroad.

Safety Stores Inc. declared quarterly dividend of \$1.25 on common placing stock on a \$5 annual basis against \$3 previously, payable January 2, 1930.

Mercury No. 3, which recently ran casing to the Dalhousie Sands 4,650 feet, will be drilled one hundred feet deeper and tested for production, according to an official of the company. This is regarded as a view of the big strike at Merland, a mile and a quarter south.

Drilling was resumed this morning at Eastern No. 1 after several days lost in fishing for drill cutters. Several pieces of iron still remain in the hole and slow progress is expected for several days. This hole is about forty-one feet in the line.

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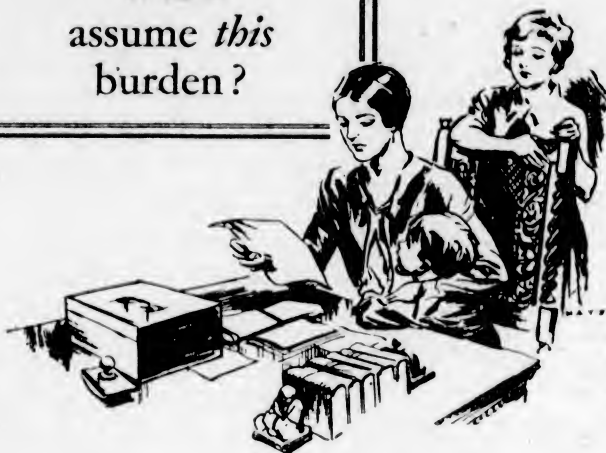
Much attention is being given to the usual December thought of tax selling, and many commitments are being postponed on the theory that tax selling in this month will make stocks available at more attractive prices. In the ordinary course of events, this theory would be of little consideration, but considering the collapse of the speculative structure in the past two months, tax selling is hardly likely to be a depressing factor in the final month of this year. There will, of course, be some, but it will be for the very simple reason that too large a percentage of accounts, which were normally have issues in them on which tax losses could be registered, are no longer in existence. Of course immediate interest is the point that market action is confirming our promise that, subject to the usual day to day reactions, the course of the market, at least in the first half of December, will be towards higher prices and that, subject to hesitancy and little more in the concluding part of December, this regular advance will continue at least for the best part of the first month of the New Year. Meanwhile a large number of issues continue to be available at exceptionally low prices on the basis of intrinsic worth and earnings, not to mention yield and the substantial impetus which will be given by the continuance of an exceptionally low money market.

Such issues as standard market leaders of the type of American Can, Consolidated Gas, U.S. Steel, General Electric and Air Reduction will continue to load the market upward. Such issues as American & Foreign Power, National Cash Register, International Telephone & Telegraph, and American Rolling Mills, which were unduly depressed, due to the extent of public speculation in them, may be expected to follow the market leaders in rather rapid recoveries from what are now recognized as levels representing undue pessimism.

NEW YORK SUGAR
NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Raw sugar was unchanged at 3.67 for spot, duty paid, today. No sales were reported. Refined continued quiet, with buyers limiting purchases to nearby requirements. Prices were unchanged at 5.00 for fine granulated.

SILVER MARKET
LONDON, Dec. 2.—Bar silver, 221-3d per ounce.
AT NEW YORK
NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Bar silver, 49-1-4. Mexican dollars, 363-8.

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THE COMPANY

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PROPERTIES
The properties, owned and controlled, the BABINE BONANZA (CRONIN) MINE, and the adjoining mine property, consisting of over three square miles, in the Babine Mountains, near Smithers, British Columbia, on the Canadian National Railway. In addition to this holding, the Company is interested in other mining groups and has under option the controlling interest of the Lewis Gold Mines, located on the P.G.E. Railway, in the Tranquille Mountains, east of Pemberton Meadows, British Columbia. Also, owns the Taylor Mine property in the Sudbury district of Northern Ontario. These properties are regarded as having favorable potentialities.

DEVELOPMENT
BABINE BONANZA (CRONIN) MINE, developed by over 4,500 feet of tunnels and shafts to a depth of over 500 feet, has large deposits of silver-lead ore already proven, and immense areas of virgin ground await exploration. Underground work is going steadily ahead, showing rich values, and making new finds which add materially to the value of the mine.

PRODUCTION PLANS
The construction of a Selective Ore Flotation Concentrating Mill is now being planned with 100 to 200 tons daily capacity, which will be the first of the facts surrounding BABINE BONANZA METALS, LIMITED—the high standing of the Managerial and Technical Staff—its large and rich holdings, and the already sensational development of the Babine Bonanza Mine indicating that it should be one of the outstanding mines of British Columbia having highly attractive speculative features as well as a proven mine worth of substantial proportions. We confidently believe this company presents an unusual opportunity for investment in a mining venture entirely out of the ordinary in which great speculative possibilities are added to solid mining value.

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Growers' Wine Company, Limited

Notice of Dividend

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Transfer books will be closed from December 10 to December 20, 1929, inclusive.

GROWERS' WINE COMPANY, LIMITED,

Per F. W. B. George,
Secretary.

Important Notices, Employment, Business and Professional Directory, Wants, Etc.

The Daily Colonist

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Something to Think About

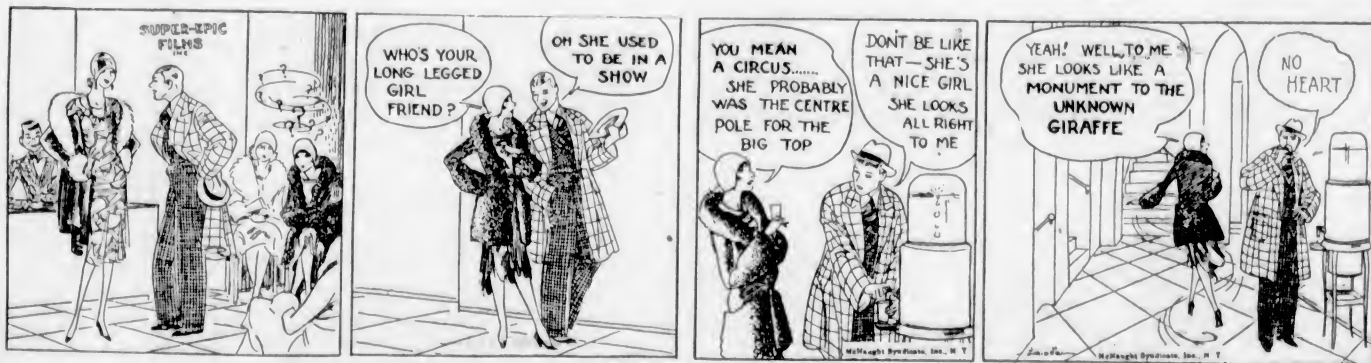
By C. M. Payne



SHOW GIRL

Says Dixie!

By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel



SKIPPY

A Double Blow

By Percy L. Crosby



JUST LIKE A WOMAN



EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

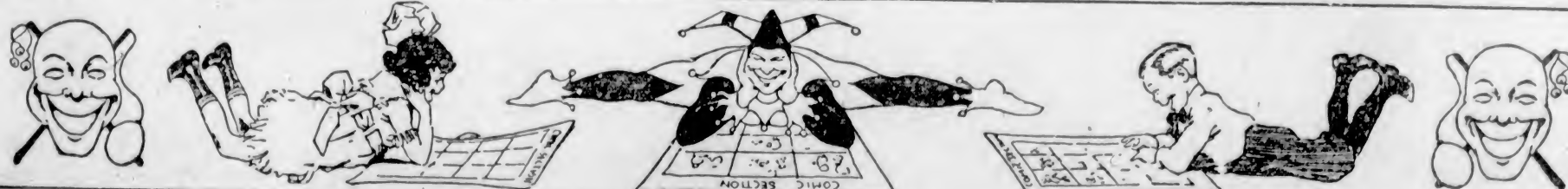


Peter L. McTeague, the million-
aire commission agent, said at a
dinner in Chicago:
"Maybe the farmer and the fruit
grower are going a little too far in
their elimination of the middleman.
The middleman has his uses, after
all."
"A farmer who was treasurer of
an anti-middleman organization
fell ill with pneumonia the other
day and sent at once for the under-
taker."
"The undertaker hurried to the
farm, but when he saw the farmer
he said:
"Holy smoke, John, ye don't need
me. Ye need a doctor."
"No, I don't," said the farmer.
"No middleman."

COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE



Polly and Her Pals



December Sale of Evening Dresses, Coats and Silks And Many Good Values in Gift Merchandise



Sale of Women's Fur-Trimmed Coats

Coats of a Good Grade Velour, in newest styles and trimmed with shawl or crush collars and cuffs of thibetina. Shades are black, rosewood, blue, navy, fawn and rust. All are fully lined and interlined. Sizes 15 to 44.

On sale for..... **\$15.00**

Broadcloth Coats with collars and cuffs of beaverine, opossum, moufflon and badger. A range of popular shades.

Values to \$39.75 for..... **\$25.00**

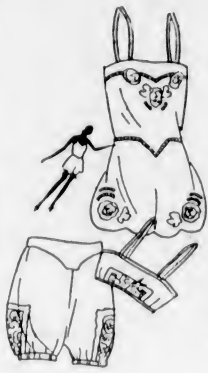
Broadcloth and Tweed Coats, tailored or in flared and wrappy styles, with fur collars and cuffs, including opossum, muskrat, wolf and beaverine. Fashionable shades.

Regular to \$49.75 **\$29.75**

**All Our Better Grade Fur-Trimmed Coats
at Reduced Prices**

Coats in wrappy and flare styles with large collars and cuffs of lynx, beaver, sable, beaverine and wolf, some with fur at hem. A range of shades.

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Rayon Lingerie at \$1.95

Rayon Sets, consisting of vest and bobettes in many attractive shades. Rayon Nightgowns in lace-trimmed or tailored styles and a good range of colors. Rayon Silk Pettinicks, a practical combination garment. Rayon Princess Slips and Rayon Pyjamas. Special at..... **\$1.95**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Sale of Rayon Silk Underwear

Rayon Brevities in pink, peach, orchid, Nile, sunni, apricot, nutone and white. Misses' sizes. A pair..... **\$1.00**

Rayon Silk Vests in opera style. Small, medium and large sizes. Each..... **\$1.00**

Rayon bobettes, Panties and Bloomers in extra fine non-ladder rayon silk. In black, white, pink, peach, apricot, Nile, sunni, nutone, sunset, azure, red, cherub, poudre and camille. Small, medium and large sizes. A pair..... **\$1.50**

Rayon Vests to match, with hemstitched straps. Price, each..... **\$1.25**

Novelty Bobettes, Panties and Brevities, with bands at waist and knee. Original designs and attractive color combinations. Per pair..... **\$1.95**

Rayon Brassieres in shades to match any of the above. Sizes 28 to 36. Each..... **75c and \$1.00**

—Knit Underwear, 1st Floor

Sale of Silks

Some Remarkable Values
Today

29-Inch Spun Silk. On Sale, a Yard..... **39c**

An excellent grade silk, in yellow, mulberry, grey, tan, henna, purple, paddy and turquoise. On sale, a yard..... **39c**

36-Inch Rayon Silk. Regular a Yard, 98c, for..... **69c**

A splendid wearing fabric that will launder well. Plain colors and figured. A yard..... **69c**

36-Inch Rayon Silk. Regular a Yard, \$1.98, for..... **98c**

Plain shades and a most excellent value. Will give great service in wear. Various colors, also black and white. A yard..... **98c**

36-Inch Black Duchesse. Satin, a Yard..... **\$1.00**

A fine grade Satin in a lustrous black, and of dependable weave. A yard..... **\$1.00**

27-Inch Figured Corduroy. On Sale, a Yard..... **\$1.00**

Neatly-Patterned Corduroy, and ideal for dressing gowns. Shades are sand, black, and blue grounds. A yard..... **\$1.00**

36-Inch Wool-Back Satin. Regular a Yard, \$1.59, for..... **98c**

A rich-finish Satin, in grey, copper, gold, red and olive. Special, a yard..... **98c**

25-Inch Silk-Finish. Velvet. On Sale, a Yard, **\$1.98**

A strong-textured Velvet, in black, white, navy, green, brown, gold, purple, mauve, grey, geranium and tan. A yard..... **\$1.98**



36-Inch Taffeta. On Sale, a Yard..... **98c**

A Silk suitable for dresses or fancywork. Shades are yellow, mauve, blue and green..... **98c**

36-Inch Black Chiffon. Velvet. On Sale, a Yard..... **\$1.98**

A French Chiffon of excellent grade, with heavy pile and fast black. A yard..... **\$1.98**

36-Inch Colored Chiffon. Velvet. A Yard..... **\$2.75**

A Velvet with a rich finish. Shades of blue, brown, red, navy, mauve and peach. Special, a yard..... **\$2.75**

—Silks, Main Floor

BRASSIERES, \$1.25

Silk-Striped Brassieres in uplift style with narrow shoulder straps, hooked in back. Each..... **\$1.25**

Brassieres of fine grade double rayon in shades of Nile, white, pink and yellow. Well shaped and hooked in back. Each..... **\$1.25**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

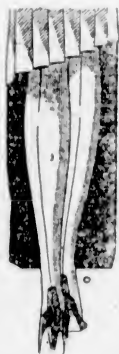
Girls' Flannelette Nightgowns and Pyjamas

Girls' Flannelette Nightgowns with long sleeves, trimmed with colored stitching. In white only. Sizes 4 to 16 years. Each..... **\$1.00 and \$1.25**

Girls' Flannelette Pyjamas in two-piece style. Top in coat effects with frog fastening; trousers with elastic at waist. In shades of blue, peach and pink. Sizes 6 to 10 years, a suit..... **\$1.35**

Sizes 12 to 14 years, a suit..... **\$1.50**

—Lower Main Floor



Women's Hosiery

Special Values

Mercerized Lisle Hose, with narrowed ankles and feet and wide hemmed tops, double soles and high spliced heels. Shades are pearl, blush, champagne, French nude, aluminum, black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Regular a yard 49c for..... **35c**

Fine Super-Lustre Lisle Hose, full fashioned, with widened hemmed tops, double reinforcement at wearing parts. Shades are turf tan, alean, pearl blush, mocha, zinc, evenglow, black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Regular 75c a pair for..... **59c**

English All-Wool Hose, medium weight, full fashioned with widened hemmed tops, neat-fitting ankles and feet. Shades are camel, oyster, champagne, tanaura, gravel and black. Sizes 8½ to 10. Regular \$1.75 for..... **\$1.25**

Pure Thread Silk Hose, semi and service-weight silk to garter hem, full fashioned with "slendo" and pointed heels; extra reinforcement at wearing parts. A range of shades. Sizes 8½ to 10. Regular \$1.75 for..... **\$1.29**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

A Special Purchase of Children's Rayon Bloomers

On Sale at, A Pair..... **50c**

Fine Quality Rayon Bloomers with reinforced gusset. In white, pink, peach and Nile. Sizes 4 to 14 years.

—Knit Underwear, 1st Floor

Stationery in Christmas Boxes

Excellent Grade Stationery, in newest designs of Christmas boxes; white and colored; plain or lined envelopes. Prices..... **\$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00**

—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Children's Long Cotton Hose in one-and-one rib effects, with straight legs and narrowed ankles. A good choice of colors. Sizes 5½ to 10. A pair, **25c**

Children's All-Wool and Silk and Wool Golf Hose in wide ribbed effects with contrasting cuff tops. All popular shades from which to choose. Sizes 6½ to 10. Regular 75c a pair for..... **50c**

—Lower Main Floor

December Sale of Evening Dresses

Dresses of Taffetas, Georgette and Satin. Beautifully trimmed. A selection of popular shades. Newest styles. Sizes 14 to 38. Each..... **\$6.75**

Dresses of Moire, Georgette, Satin and Metallic Cloth. Trimmed with lace, beads and flowers. A variety of shades. Each..... **\$9.75**

Beautiful Evening Frocks, with long, transparent hemline and tight-fitted bodice, and attractively trimmed. Distinctive shades. Sizes to 40. Each..... **\$19.75**

Better-Grade Evening Frocks of Velvets, Dotted Nets, Flat Crepe and Satin. New long lengths. All shades, also black. Sizes 16 to 44. Each..... **\$24.75**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor



Women's Gloves

A Popular Gift
Suggestion

Washable Deerskin Gloves, smart in appearance and of durable quality. Shown in wrist-length or pull-on style. A pair..... **\$2.75**

Hand-Sewn Duplex Gloves in wrist length or pull-on gauntlet style. An excellent wearing glove which retains its smart appearance after washing. A pair, **\$1.50**

—Main Floor

Large Mama Dolls

Big value, each..... **\$1.79**

—Toysland

Teddy Bears, 14-Inch

On sale today..... **\$1.95**

—Toysland

Special Sale of Evening Slippers

On the Bargain Highway at..... **\$4.95**

Gold and Silver Kid Strap Slippers, with spike heels. Black Satin d'Orsay Pumps in round toe lasts; spike heels. Black Satin Strap Pumps with trimming; Cuban or spike heels. Patent Leather d'Orsay Pumps with spike heels. All at a pair..... **\$4.95**

—Lower Main Floor



BLANKETS

A Practical Christmas Gift

We have just received a new shipment of fancy plaids in many pretty color combinations from which to choose. Some with whipped edges, others sateen bound.

Each..... **\$1.49, \$3.50 and \$4.95**

Per pair..... **\$3.50 and \$4.75**

Pure Wool Plaid Blankets in all popular colors. Double bed size. Per pair, **\$12.50**

White Pure Wool Blankets in soft fleecy finish. Single bed size. Per pair, **\$7.95**

Double bed size. Per pair..... **\$8.95**

Silver-Grey Pure Wool Blankets that will give the utmost in wear. Single bed size. Per pair..... **\$7.95**

Three-quarter bed size. Per pair..... **\$8.95**

Double bed size. Per pair..... **\$9.95**

Letts' Diaries Now in Stock

Office Diaries and Pocket Diaries, up from..... **50c**

—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

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A Real Gift for Christmas

Chesterfield Table, 44 inches long, with magazine rack underneath. Hardwood in walnut finish. Price..... **\$13.75**

Solid Walnut Chesterfield Table with shaped top and moulded frame, heavy fluted post legs. 48 inches long. Price..... **\$26.75**

Solid Walnut Oval Centre Table with six legs. Measures 18 x 36 inches. Finished with duco. Price..... **\$29.50**

Beautiful Walnut House Desk with three full-width drawers with old brass pulls. Price..... **\$47.50**

Solid Walnut Spinet Desk. A most useful type with every convenience. Price..... **\$31.75**

Walnut Drop-Leaf Desk with large writing bed and single under-drawer. Price..... **\$28.50**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor



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A collection of exclusive and beautiful gifts, chosen with expert care in London and sent out to Liberty House in Victoria.

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Cashmere Embroidered Couch Throws, 3 x 2 feet. Priced at..... **\$4.00**

Indian Printed Spreads in choice selection. 2 x 3 yards, at..... **\$5.65 and \$8.50**

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Sunset Bedspreads, beautiful Indian cashmere. 3 x 2 yards. Each..... **\$6.96**

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—Liberty House, 2nd Floor

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Special at \$1.95

Two-Piece All-Wool Suits, the top in pull-over style with neat polo collar, and the pants with elastic at waist. Shades are fawn, green and grey. Sizes 3 and 4 years only.

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

New Reprints, 89c Each, or Three for \$2.50

Reprints, including most popular novels such as "God and the Groceryman," by Harold Bell Wright; "Black Butterflies," by Elizabeth Jordan; "A Passionate Rebel," by Pamela Wynne; "Beauty and the Beast," by Kathleen Norris; "The Secret of Abor Valley," by Talbot Mundy; "The Benson Murder Case," by S. S. Van Dine; "Afternoon," by Susan Ertz.

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